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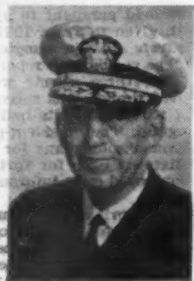
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EASTERN SEA FRONTIER

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Commander Eastern Sea Frontier

A MAJOR naval command, with whose responsibilities many personnel of the other services, as well as of the Navy itself, are not too familiar is the Eastern Sea Frontier. With its headquarters in New York City it is somewhat overshadowed by the Navy Department, and for this reason its current operations are likely to be overlooked and its potential importance not fully recognized.



Adm. Kinkaid

The Commander Eastern Sea Frontier also commands the Gulf Sea Frontier. The commander of the latter also currently commands the 8th Naval District. These two frontiers cover the entire East and Gulf Coasts of the United States, the coastal waters adjacent thereto, and the land areas of the Maritime Naval Districts. The shoreline of the Eastern Sea Frontier extends from the northern boundary of Maine to Key West, Fla., and the coastal waters extend an average of about 300 miles from this shoreline. The Gulf Sea Frontier extends from Key West to the Mexican border and its coastal waters include the Gulf of Mexico and a small portion of the contiguous waters of the Caribbean. Inland the Eastern and Gulf Sea Frontiers comprise the 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 Naval Districts. The Commander Eastern Sea Frontier exercises military command and coordination control over the component Naval Districts, acting through the Commander Gulf Sea Frontier in the case of Naval Districts under that command. He also commands the Atlantic Reserve Fleet.

The current peacetime operations of Commander Eastern Sea Frontier consist primarily of the following:

- (a) Coordination of logistic and administrative activities of component Naval Districts. In performing these functions every effort is made not to interfere with the internal administration of the individual districts.
- (b) Performance of such tasks as may be assigned by Commander in Chief Atlantic Fleet, primarily in connection with logistic support.
- (c) Control and operation of Movement Report Office New York and, through Commander Gulf Sea Frontier, of Movement Report Office New Orleans.
- (d) Control and operation of a Navy Hurricane and Weather Central. In disseminating weather information close cooperation is maintained with the Weather Bureau, and weather groups of other services.
- (e) Coordination of towing within

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Air Force Board Meets
To Pick More Generals

Secretary of the Air Force Symington has approved the convening of a board of high ranking officers, 24 May at the Pentagon building, to select additional officers for promotion to permanent grades of brigadier general and major general, U. S. Air Force.

The board which met last October recommended only 23 officers for the permanent grade of major general and 49 for the permanent grade of brigadier general, so that there remains vacancies for 45 additional major generals, and 24 brigadier generals. How far the new board has been instructed to go toward filling these vacancies is being kept confidential, as are the names of the officers composing the boards.

Headquarters describes the board as the "first regular annual" board under the new law.

Criteria for selections, the same as last October, will be as follows:

The following will be considered for promotion to the permanent grade of major general:

- (1) All permanent brigadier generals.
- (2) All temporary major generals.
- (3) All officers of the Air Force promotion list below the permanent grade of brigadier general who had held the temporary grade of general officer and who completed 23 years' service for promotion purposes on or before 31 December, 1947.

The following will be considered for promotion to the permanent grade of brigadier general:

- (1) All permanent colonels.
- (2) All permanent lieutenant colonels of the Air Force promotion list who completed 23 years' service for promotion purposes on or before 31 December, 1947.
- (3) All officers who had held the temporary grade of general officer but had not been placed on the recommended list for promotion to major general.

General Carl Spaatz, USAF, first Chief of Staff of the U. S. Air Force, who is now awaiting retirement, has given his full endorsement to the system of promotion by selection for officers of the Air Force.

Shortly after the appointment of the first permanent grade general officers under the new system, General Spaatz wrote a letter to all general officers of the Air Force in which he declared, "I am fully convinced that the principles embodied in this statute are operationally sound and that its new and comprehensive system for the promotion and elimination of officers will provide our Nation with the type and quality of Air Force officers which it will need and to which it is entitled."

In his letter General Spaatz explained how the first boards operated, pointing out that the selection of permanent generals was made on a four-part basis: (1) a review of summaries of officers' records; (2) examination of recent letters of recommendation; (3) personal knowledge that board members had of the qualifications of officers being considered, and (4) a review of the letters the officers themselves were privileged under the law to send to the board.

The General asserted, however, "I am certain that these selection boards, in making their selections as described

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The USAF has approved new type chevrons which will be 4 inches wide, silver-gray stripes on a dark blue background. They will be in the shape of a "V" with the arms curved outward, as shown. The various grades of enlisted men will wear the same number of stripes as on the old-style army chevrons, but the fourth, fifth, and sixth stripes will curve around the bottom of the chevron. Illustrated, top, are the new chevrons for a first grade enlisted man and, bottom, for a 4th grade enlisted man.

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Confirmations

The Senate confirmed on 18 May the nominations of all Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force personnel submitted by the President between 12 and 30 April, reported by the Senate Committee on Armed Services the week of 9 May, and published in the 17 and 24 April and 1 and 8 May issues of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL. Included was the list of the graduates of the U. S. Naval Academy, class of 1948.

Confirmed, in addition to the above, were Rear Adm. Paul L. Mather, USN-Ret., to be Associate War Assets Administrator; Brig. Gen. Francis K. Newcomer, U. S. Army, to be Governor of the Panama Canal; Brig. Gen. John S. Bragdon, AUS, to be Assistant to the Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army, and Maj. Gen. Louis A. Craig, to be Inspector General, U. S. Army.

WEST POINT GRADUATES

Turn to next page for list of U. S. Military Academy graduates to be commissioned in the Army and Air Force.

Senate Group Takes Up
Retirement Measure

The Senate Committee on Armed Services this week began consideration of the House-approved retirement bill.

The bill, which passed the House in the 79th Congress and died in the Senate, comprises three titles:

1. A section setting up a system of forced elimination for officers of the Army and the Air Force.
2. A section giving to personnel of the Army and Air Force the same privileges of retirement in highest temporary war grade as were accorded to the Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard more than two years ago.
3. A section setting up a system of non-disability retirements for personnel of the National Guard and of the Reserve components of all of the Armed Services.

The hearing 20 May was devoted almost entirely to the third title, a number of amendments being proposed by the Defense establishment to reduce the cost of such Reserve and National Guard Retirements. Maj. Gen. John E. Dahlquist, USA, presented a prepared statement on behalf of Secretary of Defense Forrestal. The hearings will be resumed 27 May.

In his statement, Secretary Forrestal presented amendments "worked out by the Departments—working informally with various reserve organizations," without waiting for reports based on studies by a Committee on Civilian Components and the Committee on Service Pay "which will bear on the problem of additional emoluments for the Reserve components."

"It is my understanding," said the Secretary of Defense, "that these amendments have the support of the reserve organizations as well as the support of the three Departments."

A committee "study" of the bill reveals that the proposed new requirements for eligibility for Reserve retirement with pay at age 60 are "basically the completion of 20 years of satisfactory Federal service. Each year to be considered satisfactory requires a person to earn a minimum of 50 points" yearly. Failure to earn the 50 points in a particular year will result in that year not being counted as satisfactorily. Points would be earned as follows:

- "One point for each day of active Federal service or active training period.
- "One point for each drill or period of equivalent instruction authorized or prescribed by the Secretary of the respective service.
- "A uniform 15 points credit for membership in a Reserve component for each year of Federal service other than active Federal service."

The rate of retired pay would be as follows: "All points accruing to the credit of a reservist, which are earned during a year of satisfactory Federal service are converted into days. Those earned for periods of active Federal service, including training duty, are considered in one category. The balance of time which can be credited is limited to 60 days in any one year of satisfactory Federal service. The two categories are then added together and the sum is divided by 360 days to arrive at the number of years creditable for retirement purposes. The number of years is then multiplied by 2½ per cent of the pay in the highest rank in which an individual has served during his period of service. This

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Unification Issue

Kansas City Star—"The head of the theoretically unified forces and his chief assistant for air have been publicly at outs on preparedness needs. The conflict among high administration leaders over so important a matter is regrettable."

Detroit Free Press—"Unlike as they were, our European and Pacific forces were both 'balanced.' So just what do the Defense Secretary and his Joint Chiefs of Staff mean when they tell Congress about balancing forces."

Springfield Union—"The conflicting statements of military spokesmen have confused the public mind as to the extent or imminence of danger."

Tulsa World—"We deplore the disunity, the cross-pulling, the rivalry between the branches of the service, the falling apart of the President and Congress on the vital matter of arming."

Charleston (W. Va.) Mail—"Secretary Forrestal has made a clear and forceful explanation of the defense problem. It should be studied before he and the joint Chiefs of Staff are dismissed as incompetent to plan the national defense."

Washington Post—"There is plenty of evidence to show that, despite real unity achieved in such items as research, unification is not a conspicuous success."

Chicago Daily News—"The plan for unification of the military services is essentially a good one."

New York Times—"American legislators and laymen who find themselves baffled and exasperated by

the inter-service rivalry among the United States Navy, Air Force and Army might find enlightenment on the division of responsibility, by reading the fifth installment of Winston Churchill's memoirs."

Wilmington Journal—"It is obvious now that the services are not working together as a team, as they were meant to do under the unification act."

St. Louis Star-Times—"The hope that unification of the armed services would get away from traditional jealousies has been severely jolted."

Houston Chronicle—"If the outlook for peace is as serene as the citizens of the United States have been led to believe, this is not the time for the ancient rivalries of the armed services to be obstructing preparedness."

Consider Retirement Bill (Continued from First Page)

is the amount of the retired pay he will receive starting at age 60."

The Committee study revealed that the projected form of Title III will reduce the cost of the Reserve program by a large amount, the provision in the House bill having "made it possible for a great number of enlisted personnel to serve one enlistment in the Regular Establishment and thereafter qualify for Reserve retirement by merely remaining on the rolls of one of the less active Reserve units for the required 26 years. This condition ran the cost to prohibitive figures (\$400,000,000)."

According to the study—

"The plan presently in the bill is estimated by the actuaries of the military services to be the most economical plan considered during these various discussions. Just prior to the agreement being reached, which led to the recommendation of the proposed amendments, a plan was under discussion which would have required all credit for service to have been earned as a member of a Reserve component, thereby eliminating completely the large number of Regular enlisted personnel who could qualify after 3 years of service in the Regular Establishment by merely sitting on a list. The Treasury actuaries were asked to consider that plan. They stated that the actuarial effects would be to reduce their earlier estimates from an ultimate cost of \$400,000,000 to approximately \$25,000,000. Under this plan there would be a peak of approximately \$60,000,000 in 1950 and thereafter it would drop off to \$25,000,000. The Government actuaries had no time to make a detailed study on the amendments included in the committee print, but advised the staff that this probably would be an even less expensive plan than the one previously discussed. As stated above, the military actuaries feel that this plan would result in a considerable saving under the \$25,000,000 figure."

The Treasury Department and the Comptroller General are being asked to verify these figures.

In relation to Title II, treating of the retirement of officers of the Regular Army and Regular Air Force, the Committee indicates that—

"Under existing law officers of the Regular Army and Air Force may request voluntary retirement at the end of 15 years' service. This bill raises the numbers of years of service required before voluntary retirement can be requested from 15 to 20 years. It also extends the time of retirement to Reserves who have had 20 years of active service, 10 years of which were commissioned service. These changes make the practices of these two services uniform with that of the Navy. In the event an officer is retired either under the present law or the proposed law, he will receive 2 1/2 per cent of his annual base pay and longevity for the rank in which retired, multiplied by the number of years of service. In no case may this exceed 75 per cent."

"This title also provides that any officer or enlisted man, heretofore or hereafter retired under the authority of this or any other law, shall be retired in the highest temporary rank in which he rendered satisfactory service subsequent to September 9, 1940, and shall receive the retired pay of the higher rank. A warrant officer or enlisted man who is retired after 20 years of service will not be advanced to the highest temporary rank until his active service, plus the time on the retired rolls, shall total 30 years, after which he will receive the pay of the highest temporary rank or grade in which he served satisfactorily after September 9, 1940. Similar authority was accorded the members of the Army Nurse Corps, Women's Medical Specialist Corps, dietitians, and physical therapists."

"By proposed amendment to title II, as shown in the confidential committee print, Reserve officers retired under the provisions of this title shall be retired in the highest temporary rank in which they served satisfactorily during the period September 9, 1940,

to June 30, 1946, providing they served in such rank for at least 6 months while in continuous active duty."

USMA Graduates Nominated

President Truman sent to the Senate on 17 May the nominations of members of the U. S. Military Academy graduating class of 1948 to be second lieutenants in the Regular Army and Regular Air Force with date of rank to be determined by the Secretary of the Army and the Secretary of the Air Force. The date of graduation will be 8 June. Under the new Personnel Act, this is the first academy class to be commissioned in the "Army" and not in specific branches such as Engineers, Infantry, etc.

REGULAR ARMY

Howard E. Adams, Jay A. Hatch
Harry T. Adkins, jr., Thomas W. Hazard, jr.
Albert F. Alfonso, Jr.
Reuben L. Anderson, Jr.
Louis L. Anthias
David W. Armstrong
Joel D. Aron
Nell R. Ayer
William R. Bandeen
James W. Barnett, jr.
Hayden J. Bayer
Walter Beinke
Daniel R. Belne
John B. Bellinger, jr.
Sidney B. Berry, jr.
Edward H. Bertram, jr.
Eugene S. Bierer
James A. Blakeslee
Raymond U. Bloom
Charles A. Borg, jr.
Keith A. Boss
Thomas W. Bowen
Walker S. Bradshaw
Joseph K. Bratton
John W. Brennan
Harry A. Buckley, jr.
William C. Buckner
William C. Burns
William E. Byers
William B. Caldwell
Edward F. Callanan
Francis P. Cancelliere
Jack L. Capps
Leslie D. Carter, jr.
Donald A. Cerow
Lewis Chandler
John H. Chitty, jr.
Lake G. Churchill, jr.
Joseph P. Cimo
Thomas R. Clark
Carter W. Clarke, jr.
Sam G. Cokerham
Roger F. Conover
William L. Cook, II
Richmond J. Cooper
Thomas B. Cormack
Charles L. Crouch
Robert H. Cushing
Philip S. Day, jr.
Donald E. Deehan
James W. Dingeman
John J. Doody
Joseph P. Dorsey
Mercer McC. Doty
Lee T. Doyle
Raymond C. Drury, jr.
John S. Egbert
Duane L. Emerson
Wallace O. Enderle
Robert R. Finnegan
Eugene C. Fleming, jr.
Ashby M. Foote, jr.
Eugene P. Forrestier
Charles N. French, jr.
James C. Fry, jr.
Pierce H. Gaver, jr.
Lowell B. Genebach, jr.
Robert E. Graf
Stephen M. Griffith
James B. Hall
Robert F. Hallahan
John D. Hamilton
Richard S. Harsh
George W. Hartnell
Louis W. Haskell, jr.

Kenneth E. Ruddy
William T. Ryan
Arnold M. Sargeant, jr.
William F. Schless
Walter B. Schlotterbeck
Carl W. Schmidt
Willard W. Scott, jr.
Merle G. Sheffield
Charles H. Shook
William A. Shuster, II
Harwell F. Smith, jr.
Donn A. Stary
Harry J. Sternburg
Charles H. Sunder
George A. Swenengen
Edward P. Sykes, jr.
J. Robert Taylor
William G. Thomas, jr.
Frederick E. Tibbetts
William H. Travis
James G. Tuthill
Thomas B. Tyree

REGULAR AIR FORCE

James R. Allen
Andrew B. Anderson, jr.
Carl A. Anderson
Russell C. Ball, jr.
Kenneth H. Barber
Arthur deR. Barondes
Carey B. Barrineau
Raymond O. Barton, jr.
Richard P. Berry
Waldo E. Bertoni
Harry M. Bettis, jr.
Arnold W. Braswell
Jay R. Brill
John J. Buckley, jr.
Theodore B. Buechler
William C. Burrows
Haine R. Butler, jr.
Fred I. Chanatry
Charles E. Coons
John F. Creed
William J. Crosby
Richard D. Cudahy
Robert C. Davis
Daniel De Foe
Walter A. della Chiesa
John F. Dent, jr.
Sims G. Dildy
Benjamin J. Di Loreto
William P. Dougherty
Benjamin W. Eakins
George M. Edwards, jr.
John A. Edwards
Clarence C. Elebash
David D. Garrison
Patterson Gilliam
Harold S. Gillogly
Joseph E. Gorrell
Warren R. Graves
William C. Hayden
Wilho R. Heikkinen
Joseph W. Huey
Samuel F. Hurt
Floyd A. Johnston
Jay S. Josephs
John Kastria, jr.
Donald D. Kavanagh
Alfred H. Kerth, jr.
Donald C. Kipfer
Edward A. Kritzer
George A. La Pointe
George N. Leitner
Vincent P. Lewando
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Denman M. Long
William H. Lynch
William M. Lyon
Gaylord MacCartney

Atomic Weapons Tests

The White House this week stated that tests of three atomic weapons of "improved design" proved successful recently at Eniwetok atoll.

The statement was made after the Atomic Energy Commission gave President Truman an official report declaring the results of the tests "indicate very substantial progress."

There was no indication to reveal the nature of the weapons, whether bombs or some other utilization of radioactive energy.

Full text of the White House statement follows:

"The President today received from the United States Atomic Energy Commission a report on tests of atomic weapons conducted at the commission's proving ground at Eniwetok atoll in the Marshall Islands. The tests were held pursuant to approval of the President, given in June, 1947. The first series of the tests are now completed."

"The commission reported that the tests involving three atomic weapons, each of improved design, was successful in all respects, and that the results indicate very substantial progress. The President gave general approval of commission plans for steps it proposed to initiate at once for further nuclear development, based upon information gained from the tests."

"As previously announced by the commission, the tests were conducted under the security provisions of the Atomic Energy Act, and information as to the scientific results and technical details of the tests cannot be made public at this time. The area of the proving ground, as previously defined, remains closed to unauthorized persons."

"The Secretary of National Defense and the Atomic Energy Commission have authorized statements of acknowledgement of services of the personnel engaged in the tests, for release by the military scientific leaders of the project upon their return to Honolulu."

In Honolulu, Lt. Gen. John E. Hull, Commander, Joint Task Force Seven, which was charged with cooperation with the Atomic Energy Commission in the tests said in part:

"The tests of Operation Sandstone were literally and truly field laboratory tests, designed to determine how the bombs now under development by the United States would work and to determine their efficiency. We did just that. We got our answers. We liked the answers. These answers belong to the United States Government and, naturally, are not for publication. It can be said, however, that the bombs worked. We have proved the weapon-development work done by the Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory during the past two years."

Capt. James S. Russell, USN, Test Director, Joint Task Force Seven, commented from Honolulu:

"The successful completion of this test program is a triumph for the Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory, where weapon development work for the Commission is carried on. It is also a triumph for Dr. Darol K. Froman and the remarkable scientific and technical staff which he assembled for these tests. Again on behalf of the Atomic Energy Commission, I wish to congratulate Doctor Froman and his staff."

While Dr. Darol K. Froman, Scientific Director of the Joint Task Force added:

"We have not had time to tabulate and analyze but a small portion of the experimental data obtained in these tests. Yet, what we have learned already would have been enough to make the tests profitable. We are very pleased with the results. Our tests were not successful merely because the weapons we used exploded with a loud bang. They were successful because the weapons did explode and we obtained good experimental data which will guide us in research and development in the future."

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Cadet-Midshipman Retirement

Because of the objection of Representative Robert W. Kean (R-N.J.), the House this week could not take up S. 657, a bill to authorize crediting of service as a cadet, midshipman or aviation cadet for pay purposes, and of service as a cadet or midshipman for retirement purposes. The bill continues on the House calendar.

65,000-Ton Carrier Planned

The House Committee on Armed Services this week favorably reported H. R. 6049 permitting the President to halt construction on 13 combat vessels now partially completed and thus permit the carrying forward of other ship construction now desired by the Navy.

The vessels to be stopped compose part of the 1948 shipbuilding program, and the abandoning of construction of them would enable the carrying forward of the 1949 program which calls for the construction of six new ships and the conversion of three others, at a cost of \$230 million. Included in this number would be one flush-deck carrier, one special cruiser, CLK (killer), and four modern submarines. In addition to the three ships to be converted.

In modernizing the Navy, the outstanding feature would be the construction of a 65,000-ton flush-deck carrier that will be the largest ship ever built—1030 feet long on the waterline—or 130 feet longer than the carrier Midway—and without an interfering "island" on its deck, thus allowing the carrying of planes whose wings will be able to jutt over the sides. The cost is placed at \$125,000,000. To build it will require 48 months, although in an emergency it is stated that the time can be reduced to 30 to 32 months.

According to letter sent to the committee by the Secretary of Defense, the construction of the flush-deck carrier has the approval "as a forward-looking measure," of the President, the Secretary of the Navy, the Bureau of the Budget, and of Secretary Forrestal himself.

Further than to admit that the carrier will have excellent protection against submarines, Admiral Louie E. Denfeld, Chief of Naval Operations, in his testimony before the Committee, withheld facts about the armament to be embodied in the projected carrier.

Asked by Representative Hess (R-Ohio) whether the 1949 appropriation provides for another flush-deck carrier, Vice Adm. Mills replied in the affirmative, adding that the Navy will need two more—four in all, eventually.

Revealed in the testimony was the fact that the Navy has used 990,000 tons to date for carriers, and that it still has 421,520 tons authorized. Including the 421,520 tons for carriers, it has in addition 1,161,700 tons authorized for all categories of Navy vessels.

According to Admiral Denfeld, the implementing of the legislation will be but a reflection of the views of the late Admiral Mark Mitscher who "wanted larger carriers so as not to have to make so many missions, as such carriers could carry larger planes having the ability to carry larger bomb-loads. In addition the larger carriers could stay farther away from the enemy."

When testimony affirmed that the proposed carrier could not go through the Panama Canal, Representative Vinson (D-Ga.) asked about "balance" in the Navy—"will not the Navy be out of balance if the one new carrier is in the Atlantic, and the Pacific is not protected by such a carrier—would not the fleet be unbalanced"? To this, Secretary of the Navy Sullivan replied that "the fleet would be in balance because the new ship would be in the ocean where there is the greater danger." An additional comment was that the Navy now has three carriers and two battleships in the Atlantic fleet that cannot go through the Canal.

In reply to questioning, Admiral Denfeld and Vice Adm. Mills, informed the subcommittee that the ships mentioned in the bill, on which construction would be stopped, if authorized by the President, had been completed only as follows: the battleship Kentucky, 73 per cent finished, and expected to be finished when guided missiles are perfected; the Hawaii, a battleship cruiser, 84 per cent completed; 7 destroyers, one 79 per cent complete, and 6 are 20 per cent finished; 2 destroyer escorts, 61 and 74 per cent completed; 2 submarines, 36 per cent finished.

The so-called "super-carrier" has long been a subject of discussion, many contending that its purpose would be to equip the Navy for strategic air warfare. In this connection it is interesting to recall that Secretary Forrestal, in making public the results of the Key West conference with the Joint Chiefs of Staff, at which strategic air warfare was made a pri-

mary function of the Air Force, discussed the proposed carrier and its significance. At that time he said:

"...the Navy would not build a large carrier on the basis of its contribution to strategic air warfare. On the other hand, it might not be able to justify the carrier solely on the basis of its naval function, but a consideration of its purely naval function, plus the contribution which it could make to strategic air missions, might be enough to warrant its construction, if so decided by the Joint Chiefs of Staff."

"The Chief of Staff of the Air Force, since he has the primary responsibility for strategic air warfare, would be responsible for presenting to the Joint Chiefs of Staff the requirements for all types of aircraft to perform the strategic air missions."

Support Corps of Engineers

The Senate on 19 May upheld the Corps of Engineers when it passed by voice vote the Army Civil Functions Appropriation Bill carrying \$708,586,666 for flood control, rivers and harbors improvements and lesser civil functions.

Senators Clyde M. Reed (R-Kans.), Styles Bridges (R-N. H.), and Homer Ferguson (R-Mich.), all members of the Senate Committee on Appropriations, had recommended that the measure be recommended with instructions that it be pared by \$200,000,000 on the grounds that the Corps of Engineers had recommended passage with "lack of regard" for the relative importance of the various projects contained in the measure.

As passed by the Senate, the bill is \$102,027,900 in excess of the figure previously approved by the House. The measure now goes to Senate-House conferees for final approval before going to the President.

Col. Ginsburgh to Air Force

Orders have been approved effecting the transfer of Col. A. Robert Ginsburgh, from the Department of the Army to the Department of the Air Force. Colonel Ginsburgh will report to the USAF Department of Public Information.

Secretary of the Army Royall, to whose office Colonel Ginsburgh has been assigned since the former became Secretary of War, expressed regret upon losing his services. Colonel Ginsburgh served on General of the Army MacArthur's staff in the Pacific during the war.

WAC-WAVE Conference Agreement

The conference committee on the Women's Army-Navy-Air Force bill met this week, and the House conferees agreed to recommend to the House that it accept the Senate provisions making the women's increments of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force permanent parts of the Regular Establishments.

Among added changes is an amendment reducing the percentage of personnel from 5 to 2 of the authorized strength of the Services of which they are a part. The report of the conferees was submitted to the branches of Congress yesterday for their action.

Gen. Moore to Relieve Gen. Parks

Maj. Gen. Bryant E. Moore has been ordered from command of the Trieste U. S. Troops (TRUST) to Washington, where he will succeed Maj. Gen. Floyd L. Parks as Chief of the Army's Public Information Division.

General Parks, who assumed his information duties twenty-eight months ago, will be given an overseas assignment this summer. Maj. Gen. William M. Hoge meanwhile was relieved as Commanding General of The Engineer School, Fort Belvoir, Va., to succeed General Moore at Trieste. The changes in assignment will take effect in June.

At the time that the transfers were announced, General Omar N. Bradley, Army Chief of Staff, sent General Moore the following message: "I desire to express to you my appreciation for the outstanding service you have rendered your country in a position of great responsibility as Commanding General of the U. S. Forces in Trieste."

Navy Men to Jerusalem

One officer and eleven men of the Navy are being assigned, at the request of the State Department, to establish communication facilities at the United States Consulate in Jerusalem.

Draft Legislation

Congressional action on pending Selective Service and UMT legislation ground almost to a standstill during the week as both House and Senate acted on other measures that must be passed prior to 30 June, end of the current fiscal year.

The House Bill, approved and recommended by a 28-5 vote of the Committee on Armed Services, is now in the hands of the Rules Committee for allotment of time for debate, while the Senate has been "marking time" on its Selective Service-UMT Bill as it debated the Department of the Army Civil Functions appropriation bill and other measures.

At House Rules Committee public hearings on H. R. 6401, Representative Walter G. Andrews (R-N. Y.), Chairman of the Committee on Armed Services, made a rebuttal to minority objections to the measure.

Excerpts from Mr. Andrews' rebuttal follow:

"Selective Service must be viewed in its relationship to the fundamental aim of present American foreign policy, which is to reconstitute Europe as a healthy and productive community and thus to stabilize economic and political conditions in the most important and most critical part of the world. The foundation stone of this policy is the European Recovery Program designed to regenerate the life of the western European countries and thus to eliminate the condition of misery and despair on which communism feeds. Without this positive and forthright program, exemplifying a strong American faith in the survival of Western civilization, American hopes for the future of the world and for its own security would be slender indeed."

"Yet this program—indispensable as it is—does not constitute alone a complete or effective policy. There remains the necessity of implementing its negative phase; that is to say, there remains the necessity of providing the military instruments to support the integrity of ERP. This can be done only through the maintenance by the United States of sufficient armed strength and by a clear manifestation of American intent to support the principles and objectives of ERP. American economic and military efforts are interdependent."

"There is unrest in a large portion of the non-communist world today for the very reason that there is a power vacuum, created as a result of the complete collapse of Germany and the near-exhaustion of those other European countries who struggled to defeat her. There is unrest because the absence of a strong power within that region makes stability difficult and precarious, and because it exposes the entire region to the encroachments of power systems outside the region. To put the case more specifically, Western Europe is a power vacuum today as a result of World War II. Except for the realization that the United States would go to war over the issue, the Soviet Union could overrun and consolidate the whole of Western Europe with relative ease."

"There is no question that many young men will suffer an interruption in their education by the operation of Selective Service, and that this will delay the beginning of their careers and their integration into the community as adult citizens. Without question, Selective Service will indirectly deter some men from finishing an education already started. But the disadvantages here must be weighed against the requirements of national security."

"It is true that the conditions arising from World War II, and the new relationship of the United States to the rest of the world, have made it necessary for the United States to accept the fact that it must maintain a strong armed force for the present and foreseeable future. It was on the basis of this evaluation that UMT was strongly advocated in 1945 by military leaders who had fought the war, and by the President. If UMT had been adopted at that time, or even in 1946, it is probable that the present need for Selective Service would not exist, for the adequacy of a standing armed force and the adequacy of a reserve force are directly related."

"The absence of peacetime conscription was not an advantage to the United States or Great Britain when war came. On the contrary, it was a grave and perilous disadvantage which had to be offset by a feverish effort to draft the men and build the armies."

"The Navy, the Air Force, the atomic bomb, and the industrial capacity are great security factors and they would be essential to this country in a future war. Yet if war came, it would still be necessary to mobilize the manpower of the nation for the numerous tasks associated with counter-offensive efforts and home defense."

"There are three basic reasons why the United States requires today a respectable ground force:

"(1) To serve as a strategic reserve for our other forces scattered throughout the world. In the event of internal trouble in Germany, Japan or Korea, our minimal forces there

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would need support. The present ready reserve in this country comprises only 2 1/2 divisions, no one of which is at fighting strength. The Andrews bill would increase this strategic reserve to 5 divisions, plus 6 fully equipped and trained National Guard divisions.

"(2) To serve with the United Nations police force, if such is established, in the common effort to reduce existing tensions throughout the world."

"(3) To seize and hold advance bases for the Air Force in the event of war. Without such support the largest American Air Force will be, in the foreseeable future, virtually limited to the defense of the Western Hemisphere."

Replying to the minority charge that adoption of Selective Service would cost approximately \$21 billion a year, Mr. Andrews said:

"On the basis of available information, including the latest estimates of the Secretary of Defense, full implementation of the Bill will require an expenditure of approximately 17.5 billions annually."

At the conclusion of a closed meeting on 20 May, Rules Committee Chairman Leo E. Allen announced to newsmen the House will not consider the measure until after 1 June, although Speaker Joseph Martin (R-Mass.) had previously stated the bill would reach the House during the week of 24 May.

Welfare Fund Transfer

A percentage of the adjusted net worth of the Army Central Welfare Fund, has been turned over to the United States Air Force for the purposes for which those funds were originally made available in the War Department.

The transfer is executed under Joint Army and Air Force Bulletin No. 11 which states that the share of the non-appropriated fund which is available for use on behalf of the Air Force is 37.51 per cent of the adjusted net worth of the Fund as of 30 Sept. 1947.

The funds transferred to the Department of the Air Force and the corresponding funds retained by the Department of the Army will be administered under joint policies to be established by the Secretary of the Army and the Secretary of the Air Force, who are authorized to issue such orders as may be necessary to effectuate the purposes of the transfer.

Nat. Security Resources Board

Arthur M. Hill, Chairman, National Security Resources Board, has announced a general regrouping of organizational functions of his staff with a view to greater efficiency of the Board in carrying out its legal mandate to "advise the President concerning the coordination of military, industrial and civilian mobilization" in the event of war.

Mr. Hill created the Office of Vice Chairman of the Board. The Vice Chairman will, with the staff assistance of the Director of Plans and Programs and the Director of Mobilization Procedures and Organization, direct, coordinate and administer the work of four newly-created operating offices comprising the Mobilization Planning Staff.

The Mobilization Planning Staff will be composed of the Office of the Director of Production, Office of the Director of Transportation and Storage, Office of the Director of Human Resources, and the Office of the Director of Economic Management.

The four newly-created Offices will be composed of various divisions as follows:

1. Office of the Director of Production, composed of three groups: (a) manufacturing group, including divisions of aircraft, ordnance, marine consumers' goods, equipment, automotive, tools, construction, and general products; (b) materials groups, including divisions of solid fuels, petroleum and natural gas, steel, chemicals (including plastics), rubber, non-ferrous metals, non-metallic minerals, forest products, textile, fiber and leather; and food; and (c) utilities group, comprising divisions of power and other utilities, and communications.

2. Office of the Director of Transportation, composed of the divisions of railway, highway, airway, inland waterway, coastal, great lakes, and ocean.

3. Office of the Director of Human Resources, composed of the divisions of manpower; medical services; housing, community facilities and activities.

4. Office of the Director of Economic Management, consisting of the divisions of economic stabilization and foreign economics.

USMA Graduation Leave

Army Regulation 600-115 has been amended by changing paragraph 18 to read as follows:

"18. Graduation leave, United States Military Academy. a. General—Effective 1 June 1948, and except during time of war or grave national emergency, leave of absence of 60 days from date of graduation will be allowed to graduates of the Military Academy. Such leave will not be charged against any leave now authorized by other provisions of these regulations nor can this leave be carried forward as a credit beyond the date of reporting to the first permanent duty station or to the port of embarkation for permanent duty outside the continental limits of the United States.

"b. Graduate United States Military Academy while on graduation leave.—Effective 1 June 1948, a graduate of the United States Military Academy ordered to temporary duty on graduation leave may on completion of such duty revert to leave status, provided subject leave is completed within 3 months from the date of graduation from the academy."

Paragraph 17 "Academic leave at U. S. Military Academy or service schools" has been rescinded effective 1 June 1948.

Stays in Moscow

Sergeant James McMillin, who was reported this week to have deserted his post at the American Embassy in Moscow allegedly for a Russian woman, was described by the State Department as having been "seduced" and exploited by an experienced Soviet woman agent."

The Sergeant, who is twenty-one years old, is reported to have explained his actions as being motivated by a preference for life in the Soviet. Sergeant McMillin is the son of Col. James M. McMillin, Commanding, Huntsville Arsenal, Ala.

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Maj. Walter Reed Honored

A bronze bust of the late Maj. Walter Reed, Army doctor who conquered yellow fever at the turn of the century, was unveiled by his son Maj. Gen. Walter Reed, USA-Ret., in the Hall of Fame of New York University on 20 May. A plaque commemorating Major Reed's achievements was placed by the bust.

Major Reed, who died in 1902, is the first member of the medical profession to be chosen for the Hall of Fame because of his contributions to medical science. Distinguished members of the medical profession were speakers at the ceremony.

1st Cavalry Brigade Honored

A Presidential citation has been awarded to Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 1st Cavalry Brigade, for outstanding performance of duty in action against the enemy on Luzon, Philippine Islands during the period 1 to 3 Feb. 1945.

According to the Department of the Army, the unit, as part of a larger force, engaged in the daring and successful dash into enemy-held Manila that liberated the internees imprisoned in Santo Tomas University.

Gen. Wheeler To Retire

Lt. Gen. R. A. Wheeler, Chief of Engineers has requested retirement from active duty effective 30 June.

General Wheeler who has been Chief of Engineers since 1 Oct. 1945 has served in the United States Army for 41 years having graduated from the United States Military Academy with the class of 1911.

Congratulates Gen. Hodge

Secretary of the Army Royall has congratulated Lt. Gen. John R. Hodge, U. S. Commander in Korea, on the orderly conduct of recent elections in Korea. In a cable message to General Hodge, Mr. Royall said:

"Current news reports on elections just completed indicate exceptionally large percentage of eligible voters actually cast ballots. Disorder at the polls and during pre-election days was remarkably low in face of concerted Communist efforts to disrupt election and discredit U. S. and U. N. efforts. Highest praise is due you and members of your command for most difficult and hazardous job well done."

Army-AF Housing

The House on 20 May passed the Army-Air Force Construction Bill authorizing construction of 3,559 houses for personnel.

An amendment was adopted restricting housing construction to buildings not to exceed 1,080 square feet, which is the standard three-bedroom size prescribed for non-commissioned officers' families.

As originally drafted, the bill would have authorized construction of larger quarters prescribed for commanding officers and general officers, ranging up to 2,000 square feet.

Representative George J. Bates (R-Mass.), a member of the Committee on Armed Services, explained that by restricting houses to the three-bedroom size a saving of \$13,000,000 would be realized. He also estimated that Congress could provide 876 houses additional if it should desire.

Some discussion was had over the inclusion of \$10,000,000 for the development of our airport in Iceland.

The Bill was passed by the Senate in the last session, but will have to go back to the Senate for revision.

As the measure was in the form of an authorization, no actual construction can begin until the Congress appropriates funds needed.

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Rank and Precedence

Changes in AR 600-15, promulgated this week, added a new paragraph, 4.1, governing the "precedence of Officers Reserve Corps and National Guard of the United States not on active duty," as follows:

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Precedence or seniority among officers of the same grade in the Officers' Reserve Corps and National Guard of the United States, not on active duty, and between such officers and officers of the Regular Army is determined as follows:

a. As among officers of the Officers' Reserve Corps and National Guard of the United States, not on active duty—

(1) By length of active Federal service and service under provisions of sections 94, 97, and 99, National Defense Act, as amended, which they have performed in their current or higher grade.

(2) When length of such service is the same, precedence will be determined by length of active commissioned Federal service plus commissioned service under sections 94, 97, and 99, National Defense Act, as amended.

(3) When lengths of service as computed under (1) and (2) above, are the same, precedence will be determined according to age.

EXAMPLE.—In determining seniority for the purpose of making assignments of officers of the Officers' Reserve Corps or National Guard of the United States to units not in active Federal service, such determination will be based on the assumption that all officers assigned to the same unit will be ordered to active duty on the same day.

b. Precedence between an officer of the Officers' Reserve Corps or of the National Guard of the United States, not on active duty, and an officer of the Regular Army, will be determined according to the date of rank of the Regular Army officer and service as computed under a(1) and (2) above. Where the dates so ascertained are the same, the Regular Army officer will take precedence.

EXAMPLE.—Where officers of the Officers' Reserve Corps or of the National Guard of the United States are serving on a board while not on active duty, seniority among themselves and with reference to officers of the Regular Army who may be serving on the same board will be determined as though all of the members not on active duty had been ordered to active duty on the day of the meeting of the board.

Rank of Non-coms

The new print also changes paragraph 9, treating of non-commissioned officers so as to read as follows:

9. Noncommissioned officers.—a. Master sergeants will take rank according to the date indicated in the warrant or instrument of appointment; first sergeants will take rank from 1 September 1942 or from the date indicated in the warrant or instrument of appointment if later than 1 September 1942, except that active Federal service prior to 1 September 1942 as an officer, warrant officer, or flight officer of the Army of the United States, or as a master sergeant will act to establish a date of rank prior to that date. Date of rank for first sergeants with such Federal service prior to 1 September 1942 will be determined as the date of their appointment in the first pay grade preceded by a period equal to the total length of active Federal service performed in the first pay grade or higher grade, except that such service prior to a reduction with prejudice resulting from the action of a board or court martial will not be counted. Subject to the foregoing exception, any active Federal service in the appropriate grade in the National Guard or any active service in the appropriate grade in the Enlisted Reserve Corps will be counted in determining date of rank. Service in the grade of first sergeant prior to 1 September 1942 will be considered as service as an enlisted man of the second grade.

24th Division Convention

The 24th Infantry Division Veterans' Association will hold its first convention and reunion in Baltimore, Md., 13-14 Aug. at the Lord Baltimore Hotel. Veterans wishing to attend should notify Col. William J. Verbeck, Room 3-D-831, The Pentagon, Washington 25, D. C., or Mr. Edmund F. Henry, Secy.-Treas., 402 First National Bank Bldg., Attleboro, Mass.

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Calendar of Legislation

ACTION ON LEGISLATION

S. 182. For the relief of Sgt. John H. Mott. Signed by President.

S. 1806. For the relief of Ens. Merton H. Peterson, USNR. Signed by President.

H.R. 5344. To prevent retroactive checkage of retired pay in the cases of certain enlisted men and warrant officers appointed or advanced to commissioned rank or grade under the Act of 24 July 1941, as amended. Ordered reported to Senate Committee on Armed Services by a subcommittee.

S. 2174. To amend sections 10 and 12 of the Pay Readjustment Act of 1942, as amended. (To increase to not to exceed \$8 the per diem for officers and enlisted men on a travel status.) Ordered reported to Senate Committee on Armed Services by a subcommittee.

H.R. 6204. To extend to commissioned officers of the Coast and Geodetic Survey the provisions of the Armed Forces Leave Act of 1946. Passed by House.

H.R. 5758. To amend further the Armed Forces Leave Act of 1946 to permit certain payments to be made to surviving brothers and sisters, and nieces and nephews, of deceased members and former members of the armed forces. Passed, with committee amendments, by House.

H.R. 4032. To amend certain provisions of law relating to the naval service so as to authorize the delegation to the Secretary of the Navy of certain discretionary powers vested in the President of the United States. Passed, with committee amendments, by House.

H.R. 6275. To exempt from estate national service life insurance and Government life insurance in certain cases. Passed by House.

S. 1723. To amend the acts authorizing the courses of instruction at the Naval Academy and West Point to be given to a limited number of persons from the American Republics so as to permit such courses of instruction to be given to Canadians. Passed, with committee amendments, by House. Senate agreed to amendments. To President.

H.R. 6049. To authorize the President to permit stoppage on construction of certain combatant vessels. Reported by House Committee on Armed Services.

H.R. 5983. To amend section 202 of Title II of the Army-Navy Medical Services Corps Act of 1947, as amended, to remove the present restriction on appointments to the Navy Medical Service Corps. Reported by House Committee on Armed Services. (To permit appointment of civilians.)

S. 1470. To amend the act entitled "An act to make provision for the care and treatment of members of the National Guard, Organized Reserves, ROTC and CMTC who are injured or contract diseases while engaged in military training. Reported by House Committee on Armed Services.

H.R. 5244. To amend "An Act to allow credit in connection with certain homestead entries for military or naval service rendered during World War II. Reported by Senate Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

S.J. Res. 193. Granting free postage to members of the Armed Forces while confined for treatment in military or naval hospital, and to veterans while being furnished hospital treatment or institutional care in institutions operated by or under contract with the Veterans' Administration. Reported, with committee amendment, by Senate Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

BILLS INTRODUCED

H.R. 6616. Rep. Kilday (D-Tex.) to create additional Secretaries of the Armed Forces for Reserve Components.

H.R. 6611. Rep. Morrison (D-La.) For the relief of Maj. Jewell J. Frey, Monroe, La. (For per diem in lieu of subsistence while on temporary duty during World War II.)

S. 2680. Sen. Gurney (R-S.D.) To enhance further the security of the United States by preventing disclosures of information concerning the cryptographic systems and the communication intelligence activities of the United States.

Navy Reduces Fire Damage

The Navy reduced fire damage to its installations by more than a million-and-a-half dollars in the first quarter of 1948 as compared with the same period in 1947. The Bureau of Yards and Docks, responsible for maintenance of Navy shore installations, credits the Navy's nationwide fire protection program as being largely responsible for this reduction.

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Sports Front

TEMPORARILY undermanned by the transfer of two of its members to head coaching positions this spring, Army's football staff was brought up to strength today with the acquisition of Clarence E. (Chief) Boston of Harvard, according to an announcement made by Colonel Lawrence McC. (Biff) Jones, Graduate Manager of Athletics.

A graduate of Harvard, Class of 1939, Boston played quarterback and blocking back on the Dick Harlow elevens of 1936 through 1938 and rounded out his athletic activity by winning the Eastern Intercollegiate heavyweight wrestling championship in his senior year.

Following a year of football coaching at University High School, Shaker Heights, Ohio, Boston returned to Harvard and coached freshman football and wrestling in 1940. In 1941, he was assigned head coach of the varsity wrestling team in addition to his chores with the freshmen eleven, a position he held up until this time.

After a four-year stint as a commissioned officer in the Army which included a tour of duty in the European Theatre of Operations, Boston returned to Harvard as head coach of the Crimson J.V. football team which went undefeated in eight games in 1946. Last fall, his J.V. eleven lost only one game in eight starts.

Capt. E. B. (Whitey) Taylor, Annapolis athletic director, has announced the following captains of 1948-49 winter sports teams:

Basketball—John Barrow
Wrestling—Wayne Smith
Fencing—William L. Bryan
Swimming—Thomas F. Lechner
Rifle—J. H. Demyttenaere
Pistol—E. A. Hawthorne

The 1948 Second Army Area Tennis Tournament will be held at Ft. Knox, Ky., 23-25 June, inclusive.

Each Army camp, post or station in the Second Army area is eligible to enter from one to ten players.

Winners will be determined for singles, doubles, and mixed doubles matches. Champions will be awarded trophies as individuals in addition to championship post team awards.

Plans are being made to send the Second Army tournament winners to the Army-Air Force Tournament to be held at West Point, New York in July.

Relieve Mediterranean Ships

Fourteen Naval vessels, now on duty in Mediterranean and European waters, will be relieved early next month by 12 other ships. Marine detachments serving on the major vessels also will be replaced.

The ships which will return to United States ports, when relieved about 10 June, are the aircraft carrier Philippine Sea; the cruisers Dayton, Rochester and Fresno; the destroyers Brownson, R. H. McCard, S. B. Roberts, C. H. Roan, J. P. Kennedy, W. R. Rush, Johnston and Fiske; and the attack cargo ship Vermilion.

Rear Adm. C. A. F. Sprague, Commander Carrier Division Six in the aircraft carrier Kearsarge, will be in command of the relief force which, in addition to the Kearsarge, is composed of the cruisers Fargo, Huntington, and Juneau; destroyers Putnam, Henley, W. Keith, J. C. Owens, Zellers, Massey and Stormes; and the attack cargo ship Marquette.

Admiral Sprague will report with all the vessels to the Commander in Chief, U. S. Naval Forces Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean for duty on arrival in station. Rear Adm. J. H. Foskett, Commander Cruiser Division Twelve, will fly his flag in the Huntington.

88th Infantry Div. Reunion

A reunion of 88th Infantry Division Veterans of World War II will be held at the Hotel Commodore, New York City, 19-21 Aug. Those interested should communicate with the 88th Div. Assn., P. O. Box 328, Cooper Sta., New York City 3.

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(f) Supervision and coordination of Naval responsibilities for Search and Rescue, and coordination of Salvage in Frontier waters. Primary responsibility for peacetime Search and Rescue belongs to Coast Guard but Navy assists whenever additional help is required, or where Naval vessels are concerned.

(g) Control and coordination of Naval communication facilities within the Frontiers, largely through periodic inspections and constant observation by Frontier Communication Officer.

(h) Coordination of air operational matters such as procedures, air space assignment, and liaison with civil air activities, including representation on New York Regional Air Space Subcommittee.

(i) Conduct of appropriate inspections and investigations within the Frontier.

The Commander Eastern Sea Frontier has separate and additional duty as Commander of the Atlantic Reserve Fleet. This Fleet is composed of eight Groups and twenty Sub-Groups, located in different ports along the Atlantic and Gulf coasts. The relation of this command and its subordinate commands to the Shore Establishment is the same as that which exists between the Commanders of the Active Fleets and their subordinate commands with the Shore Establishment. Under the direction of its Commander, the vessels of the Atlantic Reserve Fleet have been inactivated, are being maintained in a high degree of readiness, and will be ready for rapid activation when required to augment the Active Fleets. The importance of the command may be appreciated when it is realized that it includes approximately a thousand ships of all naval types.

In addition to the current operations described above, Commander Eastern Sea Frontier has important responsibilities in connection with planning the expansion of the Frontier to meet its probable wartime mission, and coordinating the mobilization activities of the component Naval Districts. He also is responsible for maintaining liaison with appropriate Army and Air Force commands and for preparing War Plans, both Naval and Joint, for Frontier and sub-area defense.

In carrying out his duties Commander Eastern Sea Frontier is under the command of both the Chief of Naval Operations and Commander in Chief Atlantic Fleet. Under the former he performs all functions affecting the Naval Districts and exercises command of the Reserve Fleet; under Commander in Chief Atlantic Fleet he performs primarily those tasks that have to do with supervising and coordinating the logistic support required by the Fleet and Overseas Bases from shore activities within the Frontier.

If another war should come it is visualized that the Eastern Sea Frontier would require an organization even larger, and covering a greater scope of activities, than did the Western Sea Frontier when

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at its peak during the last war. Upon receipt of orders to mobilize the Commander Eastern Sea Frontier would be charged with supervising and coordinating the mobilization of all Naval personnel and facilities in the component Naval Districts, and with the activation of the Reserve Fleet to the point where these ships would join the Active Fleet.

Concurrently it is anticipated that he would, when directed, take over wartime functions involving the control and supervision of shipping from the East and Gulf Coasts incidental to the war effort, important duties in connection with convoy and routing, command of Naval forces participating in Frontier defense, supervision and coordination of the expansion of logistic facilities to support the establishment of overseas bases, direction and coordination of procurement and conversion of merchant vessels acquired for the war effort, such coordination as is directed in accomplishing repair and maintenance of ships and craft, including Naval Transportation Service vessels, at Naval and private shipyards, establishment of a requisition control center to process all requests for supplies and equipment from ships and overseas bases, supervision of inland land and water transportation, and the distribution of Naval personnel between the mainland and Service Force, Atlantic Fleet, for distribution to the Fleet and advanced bases. In short, the Eastern Sea Frontier command would provide a single continental logistic agent and coastal operational commander who would be, not only a Task Force Commander under Commander in Chief Atlantic Fleet, but who at the same time, possibly as a Deputy, would be in a position to relieve the Chief of Naval Operations of wartime responsibilities for Frontier defense and the coordination of Naval District matters.

Navy Nominations

On 17 May the President sent to the Senate the nominations of the following for appointment in the Marine Corps or Navy:

Midshipmen (Naval Academy) to be	
2nd Lts. (Marine Corps)	
Hugh D. Adair, Jr.	Ben A. Moore, Jr.
Richard T. F. Ambrogio	Richard C. Morrow
George T. Balzer	Merrill L. Norton
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Navy Medical Symposium

A symposium of all District Medical and Dental Officers, and Medical Officers in command of Naval Hospitals within the continental limits of the United States has been called by the Surgeon General, Rear Adm. Clifford A. Swanson, MC, USN, to meet at the National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md., 27-29 May, inclusive.

Purpose of the conference is to bring together the representatives of the medical and dental activities of the Navy to discuss problems peculiar to the field activities, and to outline the guiding policies of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery. Agenda of the Symposium follows:

27 May	
0830-0900: Register, Officers' Lounge, Room 159, S. Wing, Naval Medical School.	
0900-0905: Meeting called to order; announcements. Presentation of the Surgeon General by Rear Adm. H. L. Pugh, Deputy and Assistant Chief, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.	
0905-0935: Address of welcome and Purposes of Conference, Rear Adm. Clifford A. Swanson, Surgeon General of the Navy and Chief, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.	
0935-1000: Presentation of Organization BuMed—Present Concept of its Function, Some Current Aims, Rear Adm. H. L. Pugh.	
1000-1015: Correlation of Command, Rear Adm. T. C. Anderson.	
1015-1030: Recess.	
1030-1115: The Graduate Training Program, Capt. L. R. Newhouse.	
1115-1130: Comment on Training Program, Capt. Carl A. Broadus.	
1130-1145: Comment on Training Program, Capt. H. H. Montgomery.	
1145-1200: Organization and Problems of Dependent Care at Naval Hospitals, Capt. L. O. Stone.	
1200-1215: The Morale Factor in Non-Residency Training Hospital, Capt. O. A. Smith.	
1215-1330: Luncheon, Officers' Mess Hall, Bethesda.	
1330-1400: The Present Status of Volunteer Reserve Divisions, Capt. L. A. Wylie.	
1400-1410: Report Upon Progress of Formation of Reserve Divisions on West Coast, Rear Adm. J. P. Owen.	
1410-1420: Report Upon Progress of Formation of Reserve Divisions in Mid-West, Rear Adm. F. L. Conklin.	
1420-1430: Report Upon Progress of Formation of Reserve Divisions in the Southwest, Capt. E. D. McMorris.	
1430-1440: Report Upon Progress of Formation of Reserve Divisions on Atlantic Seaboard, Rear Adm. A. H. Dearing.	
1440-1450: Report Upon Progress of Reserve Dental Units, Capt. F. G. Ulen.	
1450-1500: Materiel Needs in Naval Hospitals, Capt. Franklin C. Hill.	
1500-1515: Recess.	
1515-1530: Development and Supply of Modern Hospital Equipment, Capt. L. G. Jordan.	
1530-1600: The Medical Aspects of Atomic Energy, Capt. C. F. Behrens.	
1600-1630: Medical Preparedness, Rear Adm. C. J. Brown.	
1645: Dental Officers Meet in Room 244, Naval Dental School.	
1730: Supper (Dental Officers), National Naval Medical Center.	
1830: Dental Officers Meet in Room 244, Naval Dental School.	

28 May	
0900-0945: General Discussion of Personnel Situation, Rear Adm. M. D. Willcutts.	
0945-0955: Our Procurement Program, Capt. J. B. Logue.	
0955-1000: Dental Personnel Program, Rear Adm. C. V. Rault.	
1000-1015: Nurse Personnel Program, Capt. N. J. DeWitt.	
1015-1030: Recess.	
1030-1100: Finance, Capt. F. P. Gilmore.	
1100-1130: Statistics, Capt. R. L. Ware.	
1130-1200: Medical Records, Capt. C. R. Ball.	
1200-1215: Research, Capt. E. G. Hakanson.	
1215-1330: Luncheon, Officers' Mess Hall, Bethesda.	
1330-1445: Tour of the Naval Medical Research Institute, Capt. A. R. Behnke.	
1445-1515: The Medical Center Afloat, Capt. F. C. Greaves.	

1515-1545: Compilation of Hospital Atlases, Mr. Gordon Barnes.	
1545-1615: Safety Program in Shore Establishments, Lt. A. W. Kenny (HC).	
1615-1700: Public Relations, Capt. Ernest M. Eller.	
1800-1845: Cocktails, BOQ, Bethesda.	
1900-2010: Dinner, Officers' Mess Hall, Bethesda.	
2015: Guest Lecture, Main Auditorium, Bethesda: Cooperation Between Civilian Medical Education and the Naval Medical Service, Paul A. McNally, S.J., Ph.D., Dean, Georgetown University Medical School.	

29 May	
0900-0930: The Current World Situation, The Secretary of the Navy, Main Auditorium.	
0930-1000: The Navy's Over-All Personnel, Capt. T. F. Darden, BuPers.	
1000-1015: Recess.	
1015-1100: The Naval Dispensary—Its Function and Relationship to Other Medical Department Units, Rear Adm. John Harper.	
1100-1145: The Proposed New Pay Bill, Vice Adm. Wm. M. Fletcher.	
1145-1215: Operational Medicine, Rear Adm. B. Grosbeck.	
1215-1330: Luncheon, Officers' Mess Hall, Bethesda.	
1330-1350: Planning and Logistics, Rear Adm. P. M. Albright.	
1350-1410: Dental Logistics, Capt. C. F. Lynch.	
1410-1430: Medical Representation in the National Defense Establishment, Capt. C. C. Myers.	
1430-1500: Hospital Organization, Capt. H. H. Turville.	
1500-1515: Recess.	
1515-1535: The Mission of the District Medical Officer, Rear Adm. J. C. Adams.	
1535-1555: The Present Status of Unification and Inspections of Medical Department Establishments, Rear Adm. Joel T. Boone.	
1800-2000: Cocktails and Buffet.	

*Dental Officers meet in Room 224, Naval Dental School.

Marine Generals Transferred

Brig. Gen. William E. Riley, Director of Marine Corps Recruiting and Public Relations, has been ordered to report to Camp Lejeune at the end of the month as Assistant Commander of the Second Marine Division. He will be succeeded by recently promoted Brig. Gen. John T. Seldon, who is at present on the staff of the Commander in Chief, Pacific Fleet.

Marine Corps Nominations

The President sent to the Senate on 17 May the nominations of the following persons to be second lieutenants in the Marine Corps:

Midshipmen	
Lewis H. Cameron	John E. Rudder
Elisha G. Cloud	Nicholas M. Trapnell, Jr.
William G. Crocker	William F. Trisler
Loren T. Erickson	James R. Young
Mack R. McClure	
Sherman L. Frosner	
From civilian life	
Simon I. Degulis	Francis R. Hittinger.
Joseph P. B. Franklin	Floyd G. Hudson
James R. Gallman, Jr.	Arthur R. Mansfield, Jr.
Phillip J. Garm	Edwin A. Pollock, Jr.
Jack E. Harlan	Jack L. Selk
James E. Harrell	

Navy Ships to New York

Three vessels of the United States Navy, completing an around-the-world cruise, will make one of their last stops in New York City on National Maritime Day, 22 May, for a five-day visit.

Following their stay in New York, the three ships, the USS Valley Forge, 27,000-ton aircraft carrier, and the two destroyers, USS W. C. Lawe and USS Lloyd Thomas, will proceed to Balboa, Canal Zone, thence to San Diego, Calif., where they are expected to arrive about 11 June.

The group is under the command of Rear Adm. H. H. Martin. Commanding Officer of the USS Valley Forge is Capt. R. W. Ruble, and commander of the destroyer squadron is Capt. G. C. Wright. Comdr. G. R. Lee and Comdr. J. J. Cone command the W. C. Lawe and the Lloyd Thomas, respectively.

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Secretary of Defense Reports

Secretary of Defense Forrester on 17 May reported the following summary of activities of his office, and of the agencies of the National Military Establishment exclusive of the three military departments, since 14 April, 1948:

Munitions Board

The Munitions Board established on 15 April the Munitions Board Aircraft Committee, composed of three members from the Navy, three from the Air Force, and one from the Army. The Committee will assist primarily in the development of the military aspects of industrial mobilization in the aircraft field and the coordination of scheduling of current aircraft procurement.

Organization of the Aircraft Committee was expedited by assistance given by Major General Oliver P. Echols, USAF (Retired), President of the Aircraft Industries Association, at the request of Secretary of Defense Forrester. With organization of the Committee completed, General Echols has returned to his duties with his Association.

Rear Adm. A. M. Pride is Chairman of the Aircraft Committee. The other Navy members are Rear Adm. E. W. Litch and Capt. Lloyd Harrison. The Air Force members are Maj. Gen. E. M. Powers, Maj. Gen. P. H. Smith and Brig. Gen. A. A. Kessler. The Army is represented by Brig. Gen. J. K. Christmas.

In connection with its primary functions, the duties of the Committee are to:

(a) Coordinate wartime planned procurement programs for aircraft and related components and to coordinate them with current procurement.

(b) Recommend standardization of materials, processes, equipment, design requirements and test procedures.

(c) Allocate such components and materials in accordance with priorities established by the Joint Chiefs of Staff as are made available by the Munitions Board.

(d) Recommend combined requirements for aviation components and materials.

(e) Perform all functions necessary for determining of supply and maintenance requirements for spare units and parts for military aircraft.

(f) Standardize military aircraft used by more than one agency.

(g) Evaluate the impact on industry of both current procurement and wartime planned procurement, indicating areas in which there will be a shortage of resources including manpower, materials and production capacity.

(h) Recommend practicable and feasible peacetime measures which, if adopted, would accelerate the procurement of aircraft in time of war.

(i) Recommend legislation required to implement industrial mobilization pertaining to the Aircraft Industry.

(j) Recommend allocation of industrial plants for aircraft manufacture for peacetime production and for wartime planning of production as between the Navy and Air Force.

(k) Study the geographical location of the aircraft industry and recommend dispersal action if deemed necessary and feasible, including installation underground.

Industrial Reserve Plants

On 7 May, the Munitions Board announced its request to the War Assets Administration to apply the National Security Clause to an additional 114 surplus World War II government-built industrial facilities. The announcement was made at the expiration of the 30-day "freeze" order, issued by Dr. John R. Steelman, Assistant to President Truman, to allow the armed forces time to determine the strategic importance of various plants which had been declared surplus and decide which should be protected for national security purposes.

The National Security Clause is a condition of sales contracts which stipulates that the plant involved will not be altered in any way that would prevent its rapid reconversion to military production in an emergency. Four hundred and twenty-three plants, with an estimated value of seven billion dollars, are now preserved for national defense purposes either in the Armed Forces Industrial Reserve, or through application of the National Security Clause.

Interdepartmental Space Board

Secretary Forrester, on 14 May, approved recommendations of the Interdepartmental Space Board which would relocate four military installations now occupying rented space in the San Francisco Bay area and effect an estimated saving of \$150,000 annually.

The relocations affect two Army and two Navy installations. They include:

1. Removal of the San Francisco District Engineer (Army) from the 77,000 square feet

U. S. COAST GUARD

THE drifting mine situation on the West Coast has become a problem in recent months, according to Headquarters. The 13th Coast Guard District informed Headquarters that 84 mines were reported as being in the Western area last month. Of this number, 56 were in the 13th District. Forty-one of the mines were destroyed, 16 exploded on the beaches and the others either sunk or exploded by vessels at sea. During the month, aircraft made special mine patrols totaling 14 hours flying time, and various cutters were employed a total of 445 hours searching for mines.

Lt. Commanders George E. Howarth, Benjamin F. Egge, and John D. McCubbin have been named as members of the U. S. delegation to the North Atlantic Regional ICAO conference in Paris, France. The conference will include discussions on matters pertaining to communications, aids to navigation, and search and rescue.

All Coast Guard vessels have been directed to dress ship on 22 May in observance of National Maritime Day which falls on that date.

Insurance companies on the west coast have reduced premiums for motorboat insurance for boats belonging to U. S. Coast Guard Auxiliary members, which comply with Auxiliary requirements, because these boats are better risks. The step was taken as a result of the effectiveness of the U. S. Coast Guard Auxiliary's safety campaign. The Coast Guard Auxiliary consists of 15,000 public-spirited boating enthusiasts who devote their spare time in promoting safety among pleasure boat owners and operators. Auxiliary members must demonstrate the safety of their craft and their ability to handle their boats properly in order to belong to the Auxiliary. The old insurance rate of five and one-half per cent has been reduced to 3.47 per cent for all west coast yachtsmen. Members of the Coast Guard Auxiliary receive a preferred rate of 2.7 per cent if their boats conform to the rigid standards for Auxiliary boats by passing the annual inspection in the Coast Guard Auxiliary.

Hospital Services were in accord that medical unification problems in these areas are readily solvable. The committee, which is authorized only to make recommendations, agreed that certain consolidations of medical facilities maintained by the three Services in these areas are feasible and desirable and would effect economies. These recommendations will be included in a report to Secretary Forrester within the next two months.

Three of twenty-one subcommittees, each representative of the three Services, which are making comprehensive studies of specific problems involved in standardizing operation of the medical services, have submitted preliminary reports to Major General Paul R. Hawley, Chairman of the Committee. These three are: Medical Supply for the Armed Forces; Classification and Diagnostic Nomenclature of Disease, Injuries, etc.; and Budgets of the Medical Departments. The Subcommittee on Preventive Medicine also is expected to submit its report soon.

The assignments of the seventeen other subcommittees to study specific matters included in Secretary Forrester's directive to the Committee, are: Medical Research; Graphic Representation of Existing Medical Facilities; Physical and Mental Standards; Medical Forms, Recording and Reporting Procedures; Cost Accounting Systems and Fiscal Procedures; Medical Department Personnel; Design of Hospitals; Medical Services for Dependents; Army Institute of Pathology; Army Medical Library; Programs for Hospitalization; Dental Matters; Training and Education of Medical Department Personnel; Professional Services; Medical Intelligence; Employment of Military Medical Resources; Aviation Medicine.

Welfare and Recreation Committee

The Civilian Committee on Welfare and Recreation, which will prepare a program for the most effective cooperation between civilian agencies and the Armed Forces, held its first meeting on 19 April in the Pentagon. The next meeting, probably in New York, will be at the call of the Chairman, Dr. Lindsay F. Kimball, who was President of United Service Organizations, Inc., during World War II.

In addition to Dr. Kimball, members of the Civilian Committee attending the organization meeting were: Mr. Cleo F. Craig, Vice President in charge personnel relations, American Telephone and Telegraph Co.; Hon. Colgate W. Darden, Jr., President of the University of Virginia, former Governor of Virginia and former Member of Congress; and Mrs. Maurice T. Moore, formerly Chairman, National Women's Committee and member of the Board of Directors of USO. The fifth member is Mr. Arthur W. Page, who was Chairman, Joint Army and Navy Committee on Welfare and Recreation during World War II.

Flag Changes

Rear Adm. Frederick William Pennoyer, Jr., has been ordered detached in July as Bureau of Aeronautics General Representative, Central District, Dayton, O., to assume duty as Commander, Naval Air Material Center, Philadelphia, Pa.

Admiral Pennoyer relieves Rear Adm. Donald Royce, who has served in his present command since September 1944, and who has been ordered to New York as Bureau of Aeronautics General Representative, Eastern District. Both officers have been designated for aeronautical engineering duty only.

Honors For Navy Chaplain

Capt. Ernest Lee Ackiss (ChC), USN, is scheduled to deliver the baccalaureate sermon on 6 June to the graduating class of the University of Richmond, Richmond, Va. The following day, Chaplain Ackiss will receive the degree of Doctor of Divinity from the University, his Alma Mater.

Chaplain Ackiss received the degree of B.A. from his college in 1910; the degree of Master of Theology at the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky., in 1913; and the degree of Master of Arts from the University of Chicago in 1916.

Service Income Taxes

George J. Schoeneman, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, this week reminded taxpayers of the termination, effective 15 June, of the wartime provisions which allowed general postponement of income tax returns of persons who were out of the country.

The general postponement provisions were of particular benefit to members of the armed forces, but most of these men and women have long since returned home and have filed whatever returns were necessary. Public Law 384, enacted on 8 Aug. 1947, accordingly terminated the wartime postponements as of 31 Dec. 1947, but authorized the Commissioner to make other provisions to avoid hardships. Under this authority, Commissioner Schoeneman set the termination date at 15 June 1948, for persons still abroad at the beginning of the year, and fixed slightly earlier dates for persons who came back earlier.

Further extensions will be allowed only when necessary to avoid hardship in individual cases. An individual needing additional time should write a letter to the Office of the Collector of Internal Revenue for the district where he maintains his legal residence or where he normally files his returns.

The 15 June deadline is primarily for the filing of returns for those years from 1941 to 1947, inclusive, during which the individual's income was sufficient to require a return. In the case of the armed services, the income of officers was usually sufficient to require a return, but enlisted men's active service pay was completely exempt. A twelve-quarterly installment plan for paying the tax is available to servicemen.

Commissioner Schoeneman also reminded families of deceased servicemen that 31 Dec. 1948 will be the deadline for filing claims for the refund of 1941-1944 taxes paid by men who died while in active service in the armed forces between 7 Dec. 1941 and 31 Dec. 1947, inclusive. Claims for later years may be made within three years after the return was filed, or two years after the tax was paid, whichever is later. Claims should be filed on Form 843 with the Collector of Internal Revenue to whom the tax was paid. The collectors' offices will be glad to help next-of-kin relatives prepare these claims.

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Air Force Generals

The U. S. Air Force this week announced the reassignment of seven general officers as follows:

Maj. Gen. Robert W. Harper, commanding general of the Air Transport Command, will be commandant of the Air University, with headquarters at Maxwell Air Force Base (Montgomery), Ala. He will succeed Maj. Gen. Muir S. Fairchild, recently nominated by the President to be Vice Chief of Staff of the USAF with the temporary grade of full general. The ATC's functions are being absorbed by the new Military Air Transport Service, a merger of the Naval Air Transport Service and the Air Transport Command, which will begin joint operations on 1 June under the command of Maj. Gen. Laurence S. Kuter.

Brig. Gen. Robert W. Burns, who has been a special assistant to the Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel and Administration at USAF Headquarters in Washington, was named Chief of Staff of the Eighth Air Force, with headquarters at Carswell Air Force Base, Ft. Worth, Tex.

Brig. Gen. Edward J. Timberlake, now assigned to the office of the Director of Plans and Operations in the Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations at USAF Headquarters in Washington, is being reassigned to duty with Far East Air Force headquarters.

Brig. Gen. William M. Morgan, chief of engineering operations, Air Materiel Command engineering division, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio, will assume command of the Ogden Air Materiel Area on 1 June, with headquarters at Hill Air Force Base, Ogden, Utah.

Joseph F. Carroll, of the USAF's office of Special Investigations in the office of the Inspector General, and a USAF Reserve brigadier general, has been ordered to active duty for 90 days in the same capacity as he holds as a civilian. General Carroll is on leave to the USAF from the Federal Bureau of Investigation, where he served as Inspector in charge of the Accounting and Fraud Section.

Personnel Assignment

As a means of maintaining efficient utilization of personnel as a primary function of command, the Department of the Air Force this week issued Air Force Regulation No. 35-51 setting forth procedures for classification and duty assignment of Military Personnel.

The regulation defines "duty assignment" as the placement of an individual in an authorized job as shown by an appropriate Table of Organization, Table of Distribution, Personnel Augmentation List, or Manning Table. Duty assignment is designated by an appropriate job title and Specification Serial Number (SSN).

In the determination of proper duty assignments, the fundamental objective is to utilize skill and experience of commissioned and enlisted personnel in the Air Force to the greatest possible extent and thus avoid waste of training and experience.

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GCA "Saves"

"Forty aircraft of various types have been officially classified as GCA (Ground Control Approach) 'saves' during the first three-month period of this year," Maj. Gen. H. M. McClelland, Commanding General, Airways and Air Communications Service, announced this week.

These figures are based on world-wide AACGS-GCA activities, and represent approaches made under such conditions that GCA was the only possible means available at the time for a safe landing. "Only possible means" in these instances implies insufficient fuel for distressed aircraft to land at alternate fields, engine trouble, or any of the other variables attributable to flying hazards.

During the months of November and December '47, a total of seventy-two "saves" are credited to AACGS-GCA, seventeen of which were aircraft other than Air Force. Other AACGS-GCA figures list 163 emergency, 576 assists and 12,102 training approaches during January; 226 emergency, 728 assists and 12,241 training approaches for February; 226 emergency, 715 assists and 13,432 training approaches for March.

Gen. Clark Backs AF Expansion

General Mark W. Clark, Sixth Army Commander, urged the expansion of the Air Forces in a graduation address before Class 48 B-O, Aircraft Observer (Bomber) and an audience of more than 750 people at the Mather Air Force Base, Calif., theater 14 May.

"Personally," General Clark said, "I would give the Air Force everything it needs. . . If you can expand to 70 groups, or 100 groups, or even a thousand groups, that would be fine with me."

He told his Air Force audience that in the event of another war "which God forbid, it is you who will have to carry the brunt of duty. You will have to carry the war to the enemy from bases outside the nation if our own country is to be spared. It will be the duty of the Ground Forces to seize and hold these bases for you and the duty of the Navy to help us and to get you to these."

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Civilian School Attendance

Except in unusual circumstances, USAF officers in the future will not be authorized to attend civilian educational institutions at their own expense while on active duty with full pay and allowances, or at their own expense while on leave status other than regular leave.

According to Air Force Letter No. 50-18 any USAF or other active duty status officer in attendance at civilian institutions under the conditions prohibited in the regulation will immediately discontinue such attendance. The regulation states, however, that the policy does not preclude the attendance of USAF personnel for training at educational institutions during their normal "off duty" hours.

Air Force Selections

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above, passed over many officers who were fully qualified to be selected for permanent general grade. However, their task was not to select all those who were fully qualified, but to select those who were the best qualified to fill a specific number of vacancies."

The text of General Spaatz' letter to his generals follows:

"I am fully convinced that the principles embodied in this statute are operationally sound and that its new and comprehensive system for the promotion and elimination of officers will provide our nation with the type and quality of Air Force officers which it will need and to which it is entitled. Realizing that the initial selection and appointment of permanent grade general officers under this new system of promotion is of particular concern to all general officers of the Air Force, I hasten to inform you fully with respect to administration of the Act as it pertains to their selection and recent appointment."

"The principles of promotion and elimination of officers which are outlined in the Officer Personnel Act of 1947 were evolved after more than a year of detailed research, study, and consultation among the major components and agencies of the Army. Although Public Law 381 was written while the Air Corps was an integral part of the Army, it was designed to apply initially to the United States Air Force upon passage of the National Security Act of 1947 which was then still under consideration. On 1 Oct. 1947, all powers and functions delegated by the Officer Personnel Act of 1947 to the Secretary of War, as pertains to Air Force officers, were delegated to the Secretary of the Air Force."

"In September 1947 an Ad Hoc Committee was convened at The Pentagon to make an analysis of data and information presented by AC/AS-1 and to make specific recommendations for consideration by the Secretary of the Air Force (designate) on the following:

"a. The lists of officers that should be considered for promotion to the permanent grades of brigadier general and major general in the United States Air Force."

"b. The number of officers that should be selected and recommended for promotion to the permanent grades of brigadier general and major general in the United States Air Force."

"c. The committee was instructed in arriving at its recommendations to give consideration to the following:

"a. Adequacy of restrictions imposed by Public Law 381 relative to the determination of eligibility lists."

"b. Minimum promotion list service necessary for eligibility to be considered for selection."

"c. Minimum age necessary for eligibility to be considered for selection."

"d. Exceptions to minimum promotion list service and/or age based on temporary grades held during the war."

"e. An analysis and evaluation of attrition that might result from approval of their recommendations."

"f. Ratio of officers considered to officers selected which would provide the most desirable degree of selectivity."

"g. Investigation of factors bearing on whether or not all permanent grade vacancies in the grades of brigadier general and major general should now be filled by permanent appointments."

"The membership of the Ad Hoc Committee was as follows: Chairman—General Joseph T. McNarney, Members—General George C. Kenney, General Hoyt S. Vandenberg, Lt. Gen. John K. Cannon, Lt. Gen. George E. Stratemeyer, and Lt. Gen. Nathan F. Twining."

"Pertinent extracts from the report submitted by this Ad Hoc Committee are quoted below:

"2. a. Because P.L. 381 provides for a system of promotion new in the experience of the Air Forces, the Committee felt that it would be unwise to formulate rigid policies and outline in detail procedure which would govern future selection boards. The experience which will accrue in the future promotion of officers by selection will best guide

the operation of future selection boards. It was felt, however, that future selection boards should be governed by principles of selection which experience has proven to be sound."

"b. It was felt that since the new law provided for temporary promotion it is not necessary to fill all authorized vacancies in permanent general officer grades. Furthermore, it was not considered desirable to fill all authorized vacancies if in so doing an undesirable flow of promotion or an undesirable attrition rate would thereby result."

"c. In discussing the ratio of officers to be considered for promotion to general officer grade to the number to be selected it was felt unwise to have the ratio greater than two to one. It was believed that an officer considered for promotion but not selected would have a psychological mark against him when considered by subsequent selection boards."

"d. The average age of Air Force officers when initially appointed is approximately 26 years. It is generally considered that an officer's career should last normally about 30 years. Thus, it was believed that an officer should normally complete 5 years in grade as a major general at age 36; likewise, an officer should normally complete 5 years in the grade of brigadier general at age 51. Considering the provisions of P.L. 381 which operate to separate an officer holding the permanent grade of major general from the active list at age 62, it was considered that normally a general officer should be in grade not exceeding 10 years; that normally such time in grade should be completed not later than the end of the 36th year of service."

"e. The utilization of authorized permanent vacancies in general officer grades to recognize outstanding officers prior to the time when they would normally be considered along with their contemporaries was discussed. It was believed that because of the adverse effect upon an even flow of promotion and desired attrition and because of a lack of any additional benefit to the service that it is unwise to normally recognize such officers by permanent promotion. Such officers can be recognized and their services fully utilized by temporary promotion, without undesirable effects upon permanent promotion, or disadvantage to the individual officer's career."

"f. The number of officers to be selected by each selection board was discussed and it was decided that the best interests of the service require that the number be predicated upon the attainment of an even flow of promotion and an even attrition rate."

"g. Due to the unusual problems confronting the selection board in selecting the initial quota of officers for permanent general officer grade, it was decided that the first selection board should consider a larger group of officers than will be normal for subsequent boards. It also seemed logical that, officers holding temporary general officer grades, who might not be eligible for consideration under long term policies should be considered for selection by initial boards."

"In consonance with the last paragraph of the extract from the Ad Hoc Committee report quoted above, the committee recommended that the list of officers that should be considered initially for promotion to the permanent grade of major general should consist of the following:

"All permanent brigadier generals."

"All temporary major generals."

"All other officers with 28 or more years of promotion list service as of 31 December 1947, who served as temporary general officers during the war."

"That the list of officers that should be considered for promotion to the permanent grade of brigadier general should consist of:

"All officers who served as general officers under temporary appointment not placed on a recommended list for promotion to the permanent grade of major general."

"All other officers with 23 years' promotion list service as of 31 December 1947."

"The recommendations made by the Ad Hoc Committee as pertain to the lists of officers, that should be considered for promotion to permanent general officer grades were approved by the Secretary of the Air Force."

"In order that you may have a better understanding of how the recently appointed permanent grade general officers were selected

"As a compromise between the mandatory separation provisions of the Act and the opinion that an officer's career should last approximately 30 years, the Ad Hoc Committee felt that any officer selected for permanent general grade should have approximately 23 years' promotion list service for appointment as brigadier general and 28 years' promotion list service for appointment as major general."

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under the Officer Personnel Act of 1947, I will now bring to your attention certain provisions of the law which are particularly applicable to how selection boards function and to promotion generally.

"General officers of the Air Force are permanently promoted to and appointed in the grades of major general and brigadier general in the United States Air Force only when recommended for promotion to those grades by selection boards. No officer can serve on two consecutive selection boards for the same grade when the second of such boards considers any of the officers who were considered but not recommended for that grade by the first. Board members must be senior in permanent grade and temporary rank to any officer being considered by their board. They must be regular Air Force officers holding commissions in the grade above that of lieutenant colonel either in the regular Air Force or under temporary appointment in the Air Force. A majority of the total membership of any board must agree on each of the officers recommended for promotion by that board. Each member of a selection board is required to swear or affirm that he will, without prejudice or partiality, and having in view both the special fitness of officers and efficiency of the Air Force, perform the duties imposed upon him.

"Officers selected and recommended for promotion to permanent general grade shall be those who in the opinion of the board are the best qualified of those listed for consideration. This provision of law applies not only to initial selections, but also to selections made by future selection boards. On the other hand, the Act provides that officers considered, but not selected for promotion to permanent general grade by the initial and future selection boards will not be considered as having been passed over for purposes of forced attrition. It is contemplated that new selection boards will be convened the latter part of 1948, and annually in the future, to select additional officers for promotion to permanent general grade. The fact that an officer was not selected by these initial boards which selected permanent grade generals does not debar him from being eligible for consideration by succeeding boards that select permanent grade generals, provided that the officer concerned meets other eligibility list requirements prescribed by law and the Secretary of the Air Force.

"The Act authorizes the Secretary of the Air Force to do the following:

"a. Appoint selection boards and convene them from time to time in such number and under such regulations as he may prescribe. He is required to appoint at least five members on each board.

"b. He is authorized to appoint selection boards to serve for such length of time as he may prescribe, but no one board shall serve longer than one year.

"c. He is authorized to direct a selection board to select and recommend a prescribed number of officers for promotion to a higher grade. He is further authorized within certain limitations to furnish such board a list of the names of the officers which the board shall consider.

"d. He is authorized to determine the precedence by which selected officers will be placed on the recommended list.

"The President may remove from the recommended list the name of any officer recommended for promotion to any grade by any selection board who, in his opinion, is not qualified for promotion. The Senate may refuse to consent to the appointment of any officer nominated for such appointment by the President. However, no one can add the name of any officer to the list recommended by the selection board.

"The Officer Personnel Act of 1947 authorizes a general officer strength for the Air

Force equal to three-fourths of one per cent of that number which equals the authorized active list commissioned officer strength of the Air Force. Based on a regular Air Force strength of 20,000, an authorization of 150 permanent grade general officers is, therefore, authorized. The law further authorizes a maximum of fifty per cent in permanent grade above that of brigadier general. The Air Force is, therefore, authorized 75 permanent grade major generals and 75 permanent grade brigadier generals.

"Permanent grade major generals were selected by a board of five officers convened in October 1947, consisting of: General Joseph T. McNarney, General George C. Kenney, General Hoyt S. Vandenberg, Lt. Gen. John K. Cannon, and Lt. Gen. George E. Stratemeyer.

"The officers selected were, in the opinion of the selection board, the best qualified of those considered. The average total active Federal commissioned service of those selected was approximately 30 years and their average age was approximately 53 years. Since there were already seven permanent grade major generals before the recent confirmation by the Senate of the list of 23 nominations for permanent grade major general, there are now 45 vacancies in the permanent grade of major general.

"Officers selected for promotion to the permanent grade of major general were arranged by the Secretary in that precedence which would permit the assignment to each of the earliest possible date of rank as provided in section 503c of the Officer Personnel Act of 1947 and yet retain to the extent possible the same relative permanent seniority among themselves as existed at time of selection. The earliest possible date of rank assignable to these officers was 3 December 1942, which is the earliest date of rank assignable to General Stratemeyer, who was the junior officer in the permanent grade of major general prior to these appointments. The initial date of appointment as temporary brigadier general would have permitted assigning this same date of rank to all but five of the selected officers since all but these five were initially appointed temporary brigadier generals prior to 3 December 1942. These five officers were placed at the end of the list rather than in their former relative positions so that all officers on the list could be assigned the earliest date of rank to which entitled. One further step was taken to clarify the relative seniority of permanent major generals. Rather than have the same date of rank assigned to a group of officers, dates of rank were assigned which were one day different from that of the next senior and next junior officer.

"Permanent grade brigadier generals were selected by a board of five officers also convened in October 1947, which consisted of: General George C. Kenney, Lt. Gen. John K. Cannon, Lt. Gen. Nathan F. Twining, Lt. Gen. George E. Stratemeyer, and Maj. Gen. St. Clair Street.

"The officers selected were, in the opinion of the selection board, the best qualified of those considered. The average total active Federal commissioned service of those selected was approximately 27 years and their average age was approximately 50 years. Since 15 of the then 17 permanent grade brigadier generals were on the recommended list for permanent grade major general, there were 73 vacancies for permanent grade brigadier general. Now that the Senate has confirmed the list of 49 nominations for permanent grade brigadier general, there are now 24 vacancies in the permanent grade of brigadier general.

"Officers selected for promotion to the permanent grade of brigadier general were arranged in that precedence which would permit the assignment to each of the earliest possible date of rank as provided in section 503c of the Officer Personnel Act of 1947. This was accomplished by listing the selected officers in the chronological order of their date of rank as temporary brigadier generals.

"The selection of permanent grade generals made by these selection boards was based on the following:

"a. A review of briefs or summaries of all records on officers considered. These briefs were prepared in advance and summarized each officer's military service, civilian history, details of rank, awards and decorations received, disciplinary action received, graph of average efficiency rating for the past ten years, duty assignments for the same period showing level of responsibility, extracts from descriptive portions of efficiency ratings, medical history, flying records, and special aptitudes.

"b. An examination of recent letters of recommendation for promotion to general grade received by this Headquarters.

"c. The personal knowledge that board members had of the qualifications of officers being considered.

"d. A review of communications submitted under the provisions of section 507c, Officer Personnel Act of 1947, which provides: 'Any officer eligible for consideration by a selection board shall have the right to forward through official channels at any time not later than ten days after the convening of said board a written communication inviting attention to any matter of record in the War Department (Air Force) concerning himself which he deems important in the considera-

tion of his case: Provided, That such communication shall not contain any reflection upon the character, conduct, or motives of or criticism of any officer.'

"I am certain that these selection boards, in making their selections as described above, passed over many officers who were fully qualified to be selected for permanent general grade. However, their task was not to select all those who were fully qualified, but to select those who were the best qualified to fill a specific number of vacancies.

"The implementation of the Officer Personnel Act of 1947 is a grave responsibility. In order that the Air Force may utilize and profit from the experience and sound judgment of its senior officers, I urge you to comment constructively upon the administration of the Act as outlined in this letter and, in addition, to make similar comments if desirable on its future administration and implementation."

B-36 Flight

A six-engine Air Force B-36 has completed a flight of approximately 8,000 statute miles in approximately 36 hours carrying a sizable "useful" load of dummy bombs which were dropped approximately midway in the flight.

The average ground speed was 220 miles an hour. The flight took place on 13-14 May, from the Carswell Air Force Base, over a shuttle course between Ft. Worth and Southern California. The Air Force described the flight as "merely another step" in the B-36 testing program which is by no means complete.

Personnel Reports

Effective 31 May, major air commands will prepare a roster of key personnel assigned to their respective headquarters and to their respective subordinate echelons.

Under Air Force Letter No. 35-17, dated 10 May, initial reports will be rendered as of 31 May and will be forwarded in quadruplicate by air mail or other expeditious means so as to arrive at Headquarters USAF not later than 15 June 1948 (continental United States), and 25 June 1948 (overseas).

New USAF Chevrons

Considerably larger than those recently devised by the Army, the U. S. Air Force has approved new types of chevrons and cap, collar, and lapel insignia for enlisted men and new metal buttons for all personnel.

The Air Force chevrons will be four inches wide, with silver-gray stripes on a dark blue background. They will be in the shape of a "V" with the arms curved outward. The "V" will point downward and will have a silver-gray star on the dark blue background at the bottom.

The various grades of enlisted men will wear the same number of stripes as on the old-style chevrons, but the top of the "V" will always be open. The fourth, fifth, and sixth stripes will curve around the bottom of the chevron, roughly parallel to the first three stripes. For example, a second-grade enlisted man (technical sergeant) who now wears three V-shaped stripes pointed upward and two pointed downward, hereafter will have five V-shaped stripes, all pointed downward, with the two bottom stripes rounded.

The cap insignia for both enlisted men and officers will be the American Eagle military shield used now, but for enlisted men's wear it will be enclosed in a circle, one and five-eighths-inches in diameter. The size and design of the lapel propeller insignia and the coat collar "U. S." insignia will remain unchanged, but they also will be encircled for enlisted men's wear.

Although routine procurement of chevrons and insignia will start immediately out of current funds, existing old-style Army chevrons and insignia will be used until USAF inventories are exhausted. The Air Force plans to begin gradual replacement of worn-out, old-style chevrons.

Gold-colored metal buttons used on the blouse and overcoat will be changed to incorporate the Air Force seal which was adopted when the USAF assumed co-equal status with the Navy and the Army under the National Security Act of 1947.

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"Five thousand years of history show that the defenseless nation is the nation most subject to attack."—GENERAL GEORGE C. KENNEY, USAF.

OUR PRIORITY LIST

1. Development of strong Regular establishments, including early attainment of the Air Forces' 70-group goal, ready for instant action, backed and supported by a program of Universal Military Training, organized, equipped and trained to utilize modern materials of war, and coordinated with Industry and Labor kept intimately familiar with the manufacture and supply of such materials.
2. Retention of professionally efficient and devoted personnel through the establishment of pay scales commensurate with the rising cost of living and the increases granted in civilian pursuits; complete exemption from income tax for active and retired personnel; increase in per diem allowances; and compensation for Service personnel who use privately owned automobiles on Government business.
3. Provision for retirement with rank and pay of highest grade earned in wartime on an equal basis for all classes of personnel in all the Armed Services.
4. Authorization and appropriations for construction programs to replace temporary and inadequate housing at all permanent posts and stations at home and abroad.
5. Scientific research to keep our lead in atomic weapons, guided missiles, and biological gaseous and radio active agents, and development of methods for their use and for defense against them, plus effective safeguards in secrecy and against interception by labor disputes.
6. Development of a sound system for strong National Guard and Reserve Components of the Armed Forces working in close coordination with each other and with the Regular Establishments, and Federally equipped, housed, and trained, and with inactive duty training pay for all components.
7. Constant Service and Congressional study of the new promotion systems, operating with free and full publicity, to the end that justice will be assured to the individual and efficiency to the Government.
8. Enactment of a career plan for warrant officers of the Army and Air Force, improvement of their status and opportunities for advancement.
9. Continuance and expansion of Service Schools, including the National War College, Air University, Armed Forces Staff College, and the Industrial College of the Armed Forces.
10. Upward revision of all Service widows' pension scales and expansion of the eligibility basis to insure them and their dependents a living income.

PENDING enactment of a general pay revision to bring Service schedules more in line with those in civil life and with the steadily mounting cost of living, the General Tax Revision bill being considered by the House Ways and Means Committee should include provisions exempting all active and retired personnel from payment of Federal taxes on Federal income. The necessity of some steps in this direction has been indicated by the appearance before the Committee of Secretary of the Navy Sullivan. Speaking for Secretary Forrestal and all the Services, Mr. Sullivan urged that the present active duty tax exemptions (\$1,500 for officers, all service pay for enlisted men) be extended another year instead of being permitted to expire next December. His suggestion was a temporizing one, intended to aid morale until a real pay raise shall be granted. Also before the committee is a suggestion from one of its members that personnel retired for disability, and now entitled to tax exemption, be penalized by being deprived of the exemption on as much of their retired pay as equals the amount of extra money they may earn outside through their own energy or enterprise. There is also the report of the Elston subcommittee of the House Committee on Armed Services recommending removal of present tax exemptions on the incomes of those retired for physical disability, except possibly those wounded in action. It seems to us it would be simpler and fairer to drop all "special" exemptions, recognize the present inferior position of Service personnel in the matter of pay, and make all Service income, active and retired, exempt from taxation until such time as a substantial pay increase is provided.

DESPITE the satisfaction the Air Force and the aircraft industry feel over the Congressional approval of appropriations for the beginning of the 70-group program, the fact that only one year has been provided for and that further progress can be cut off by the denial of future appropriations engenders a feeling of uneasiness. Great publicity was given to the recommendations of both the President's Commission and the Congressional Board on Air Policy that the 70-group force for the air defense of the Nation was necessary. However, among other points on which both of these bodies agreed was the need for long-range programs to enable industry to plan for the future and to function more efficiently. The President's Commission reported that the savings on the uninterrupted production of airplanes over a five-year period, as compared to five annual procurements of the same total number of planes, could run as high as 20 to 25 per cent. It was proposed that while Congress appropriate only for the current fiscal year, it provide for the additional years of the procurement program by forward contract authorizations, permitting the Services to contract for deliveries over the succeeding years. The President should approve the initial appropriations, now awaiting his signature, but to further strengthen the air defenses the Congressional Committees should take up and report out the bills authorizing long-range programs in order that the aircraft industry may be reestablished on that firm basis so necessary for the security of the Nation.

CONGRESS and the nation should derive considerable satisfaction from the diligence and enthusiasm with which the Navy is attacking the problem of keeping its shipbuilding program not only abreast of the times but, insofar as humanly possible, shaping today's program to fit tomorrow's wars. It is difficult to mesh the hard-won concrete lessons of the last war with the expectations of what science will bring forth in the future. The determination with which the Navy is meeting the situation was evident in the hearings before the House Committee on Armed Services wherein the Navy sought permission to suspend construction of 13 combat vessels now on the ways so that it might hasten the building of others it considers more urgent. Among those to be suspended is the battleship Kentucky, 73 per cent finished, which has been redesigned as a guided missile vessel. It is the intention to hold up its completion until more is learned about the guided missile of the future. Principle of the vessels to be built is the so-called "super-carrier," which is to be 1080 feet long and to displace more than 65,000 tons. While there are those who feel that such a vessel would offer too vulnerable a target to under and over-water attack, the Navy claims that, with the special protection it will give it, its terrific striking power will be worth the risk. Also to keep our floating equipment up-to-date, the Navy hopes at a later and yet undetermined date, to reactivate some of the vessels now laid up in the "moth-ball" fleet as a running test of the time and problems involved in getting them ready for combat. By thus learning to make the most and the best use of our older vessels while reshaping the fleet of the future to fit new developments, the Navy is working to get the greatest dollar value out of Congress' appropriations for sea defenses.

Service Humor

Sad But True
Angry Motorist: "Some of you pedestrians walk along just as though you owned the streets."
Irate Pedestrian: "Yeah, and some of you motorists drive just as though you owned the car."

—Camp Lee Traveller.

Proper
The man returned to the pet shop with the dog he had purchased the day before. "When I tell him to 'lay down,' I want him to lay down," he complained. The pet shop owner explained: "He's a Boston terrier, mister; you'll have to say 'lie down' to him."

—Scott AFB Broadcaster.

Good Business
A little girl about six years old went into a bank and asked to see the president. A smiling clerk showed her into his private office. She explained solemnly that her girl's club was raising money, and would he please contribute?

The banker laid a dollar bill and a dime on the desk and said, "You take whichever one you want." She picked up the dime and said, "My mother always taught me to take the smallest piece," but picking up the dollar bill also, she added, "but so I won't lose this dime, I'll take this piece of paper to wrap it up in."

Terse Verso
Our politicians promised
That they'd improve our lot;
They'd put two tasty chickens
In everybody's pot;
But now we look them over
With every best intent;
The "pot" along their waistslines
Shows where the chickens went.

—Wiesbaden Post.

Specific
In a community in which resided many Quakers who call themselves "friends," was recently given an amateur theatrical in which occurred a military scene. Just as the play started a very much inebriated man wandered in and took a seat in the front row. When, in the play, a sentry challenged "Halt, who is there?" he received the usual reply of "Friend."

At this the drunk in the front row got up and pointing to the player being challenged demanded "Hixite or Orthodoxy?" This almost ended the play.

—Contributed.

Talents
Seaman 1st: "My grandfather played the piano by ear, chum."
Seaman 2nd: "That's nothing, pay. My grandfather fiddled with his beard."

—Fitzsimons Stethoscope.

Choice
Women are divided into two types: the careless ones who lose their gloves, and the careful ones who just lose one.

—The Pointer.

Texas's Wail
A squadron commander was discussing Texas with a native recruit: "If Texas is as big and remote as you say it is, it must be hard to find the necessities of life."
"It sure is," replied the Texan, "and half of the time it ain't fitten to drink."

—Caribbean Breeze.

Ask The Journal

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W.H.—Active Federal Service in the United States Navy may be counted toward the retirement of an enlisted man of the Regular Army or Air Force.

J.W.P.—The Army Finance Office states that it is the present policy of the Army to authorize mustering out pay to officers of the Regular Army who have resigned commissions and have served overseas during World War II, providing all service has been honorable and they are otherwise eligible for such pay. The Finance Office from which you receive your final pay can determine whether or not you are eligible for mustering out pay.

F.S.—To obtain a certificate in lieu of discharge papers which have been lost or destroyed you should write to The Adjutant General's Office, Wash., D. C.

I.B.R.—A Reserve Officer may resign his commission, according to the AGO. An officer wishing to resign should write to The Adjutant General's Office, Reserve Branch, Wash. 25, D. C., giving reasons for requesting resignation.

In The Journal

One Year Ago
Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, USN, has been presented the Cross of Military Merit, First Class, highest military decoration of Guatemala "in recognition of his high military merits and his brilliant participation in the victory of the United Nations."

10 Years Ago
Lt. Col. and Mrs. Harris Jones are guests this week-end of Capt. and Mrs. Willis E. Teale in Washington, D. C., with whom they will attend the Army-Navy baseball game at Annapolis.

25 Years Ago
The value of military training in developing the highest type of loyal, self-respecting citizens and Christian men and in instilling qualities useful and desirable in soldiers, sailors and civilians alike, was effectively told in an address by Maj. Gen. Charles P. Summerall, USA, to the graduation class of the N.C.O. School of the Hawaiian Coast Artillery District, May 1.

50 Years Ago
The United States Navy Department has completed an elaborate system for observing the approach of a hostile fleet. A new bureau has been created for this purpose, known as the Coast Signal Service. The system has the services of 2,300 men stretched along the coast from Bar Harbor, Me., to Galveston, Tex. These are divided into 34 central stations, about 60 to 100 miles apart. The stations are connected by telegraph with the Coast Signal Office.

80 Years Ago
It is stated that the Oxford crew have refused to row a race with a crew from Harvard University next year, on the ground that the members of the crew change each year. Now that it is certain there will be no race—we suggest that a challenge be sent to the midshipmen at Annapolis. It would be no inconsiderable victory for Harvard to beat the best crew of the Naval Academy in its own waters.

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SERVICE NEWS AND GOSSIP

Foreign Affairs—By unanimous vote of all 13 members, regardless of party, the Senate Foreign Relations Committee this week recommended to the Senate an advisory statement to the President on national foreign policy. In effect it would commit the Nation, so far as the Constitution permits and within the area of United Nations Charter, to the principle (although not the practice, necessarily) of support of friendly alliances. Final commitment to a particular act of this sort can come only from Congress on examination of the particular situation, as required by the Constitution, but the bipartisan proposal now before the Senate would establish a general basic policy new to the Nation. The measure is substantially that introduced by Chairman Vandenberg ten days ago after consultation with the State Department and other committeemen. It seeks to strengthen the United Nations. Its stated aim is for international cooperation through more effective use of the United Nations in the quest for world security. To that end the resolution recommends new efforts to establish the UN police force whose creation Soviet Russia has consistently blocked for two years. Relationship to the present situation is acutely stated in two sections of the resolution. Of these, one seeks "progressive development of regional and other collective arrangements for individual and collective self-defense" such as the western European nations lately made at Brussels, and such as Norway and Denmark now contemplate in seeking to obtain arms from this country. The other advises "association of the United States by constitutional process with such regional and other collective arrangements as are based on continuous and effective self-help and mutual aid, and as affect the national security." The latter section's obvious purpose is to provide an immediate spur to the western European nations to prove their own industry and zeal to help themselves. The fact is that, apart from its present applicability, the measure would go further to establish foreign policy as a nonpartisan consideration than ever before in America's peacetime history. To that extent it would encourage a State Department (and Armed Services as well) to such long-range planning as few administrations have felt free to engage in. It specifically seeks to discourage any commitments likely to prove offensive to Congress, which constitutionally possesses the final say.

With more candor and realism than noted in previous months, American policymakers are this week manifesting their grave concern over Soviet political-military plans for the immediate future. There is a solid belief that Moscow has been contemplating an early expansion of Russian territorial control by "political" means, the timing being based upon a Muscovite conviction that in election year America loses the power of swift and determined action. It was knowledge of this odd but dangerous reasoning that presumably impelled the Secretary of State, through Ambassador W. Bedell Smith in Moscow, to give his recent warning that, in resisting attack or conducting an offensive, the United States does just as well in election year as any other year. Awareness of the suspected Moscow plans for 1948 has stimulated our formal announcement of successful demonstrations of new atomic weapons at Eniwetok, and also unmistakable pressure on Congress to proceed quickly with much-needed legislation for the draft and for increased volume of materiel purchases. The pressure is wisely exerted. An immense amount of work must be done to bring the services up to personnel strength, to equip them with certain new weapons, and to train them in their use. It should have been done earlier, and it must not be postponed longer. Only stooges of the most extremely glib variety can have failed now to identify the Soviet purpose two weeks ago in accepting the non-existent American "invitation" to peace talks, and this week in pressing for yet more talks on Mr. Henry Wallace's hopeful terms. The purpose of this transparent humbug of course is to throw well-meaning and totally credulous Americans off the scent by encouraging the illusion that Russia has only benign intentions. In this respect there is a counterpart of the Hitler technique which succeeded so tragically. This time the business was over-done, as was apparent at the first reading of Stalin's own recapitulation of the Wallace program with which he professed eager agreement. Here are some of the items verbally approved by Stalin, but with certain appropriate parenthetical reminders: "Prohibition of atomic weapons" (urged two years ago by America, sought in 200 UN committee meetings, and blocked to this day by Moscow and Moscow alone); "Conclusion of peace treaties with Germany . . ." (sought by all western Allies for a like time, and blocked only by Moscow); "respect for the sovereignty of individual countries and non-interference in their domestic affairs" (as demonstrated by Moscow perhaps in Poland, Rumania, Bulgaria, Hungary, Czechoslovakia, Lithuania, Estonia, Latvia, and undertaken at this moment in Norway, Sweden, Iran, Finland, etc.); "inadmissibility of military bases in member countries of the United Nations" (see above list); "assistance to and economic restoration of the countries which suffered from the war" (Moscow alone having blocked this very work wherever possible). The final suggestion of an item for the peace conference must have been designed by Stalin as the climax of his jest: he speaks for "defense of democracy and the insuring of civil rights in all countries." He should call as witnesses the hosts of "dangerous" patriots whom Russian state police have dragged from their homes and murdered. The almost unbelievable fact is that Moscow's bold hypocrisy in pretending now a desire to talk of these matters, consistently sought from the beginning by America and consistently rejected to the end by Russia, has actually impressed the more befuddled of American idealists. They are, to be sure, in many cases the same befuddled idealists who heard the same lullaby from Hitler's lips, in 1935-9. In those days it was Hitler who was inducing the world to slumber so that he could strike a sleeping rather than a watchful victim. In these days it is Stalin. It is the same false song, and the same evil purpose. It is a different victim in contemplation and it can be hoped that this victim will keep his wits about him. Good evidence of it would be afforded by Congress' rapid passage of the various rearming bills now before it, and preparation for receiving more in the near future. It will pay for us to keep an eye on Russian activities in the Middle East and Scandinavia in coming weeks.

The largest potential local influence in the Palestine conflict remains the Trans-Jordan Arab Legion. It still is rendering only token service and (except for determined actions about Jerusalem) the Arab resistance to the Jews continues sporadic and poorly organized. A key to the hesitant attitude of King Abdullah of Trans-Jordan, real chief of the well-disciplined Legion, still rests in London. Britain has not yet withdrawn her support from the Legion which British arms and cash and training have built up over a period of years. Brigadier John Glubb Pasha still heads it, British equipment still goes to it, and British subsidy still pays it. This is not to be wondered at, as Trans-Jordan remains a loyal and needed ally of Britain. Much

the same is true of the less capable forces of Iraq and Saudi Arabia. If the United Nations make a spirited decision in the Palestine matter (not without difficulty, inasmuch as Egypt is at once active in the Palestine war and in the United Nations) it presumably will guide British decision, and this will have its prompt effect on the behavior of Abdullah and the Arab Legion. Meantime the much dispersed war in Palestine proceeds with varying results. Zealous and aggressive units of Jews continue in most cases (save against heavier resistance around Jerusalem) to push the Arab guerrillas out of the way; they have moved about where they wished, but have not demonstrated ability to hold all the places they have taken. There will be great difficulty in doing so, if the Arabs wish to withdraw and return by stealth as is the Arabs' tactic, and a war conducted on this basis can last a long time with ruinous consequences to economy. America's precipitate recognition of the new state of Israel—nosing out Russian recognition in the race for Jewish approval—immediately raises the much larger question of what comes next in this country's decisions on Palestine. Congress does not yet encourage arms transactions as a second step.

The success of the South Koreans in holding their elections in spite of the Communists' armed interventions has been followed by expected reprisals by the Moscow-directed puppets of North Korea. Electric power, generated in the Soviet zone and hitherto sold to the southern consumers, now has been cut off by the Communists. Immediate needs have been met by the ship power-plants of which America made use during the war, but it is expensive and inconvenient. The Communists' abrupt shutting off of necessary power is not exactly in line with the unctuous assurances which the Soviet Government, on the day that this order went into effect, was feeding to American stooges, in the form of the recent answer to Henry Wallace. It is exactly in line with U. S. Army prediction.

Reduce High Ranking Officers—Provisions of the Officer Personnel Act limiting the number of higher ranking officers that may be retained on active duty after 1 July, 1948, will result in a number of reductions in rank in the Army and Navy. The Air Force is remaining within the limits set by the law—as a matter of fact it has not even deemed it advisable to fill the permanent vacancies in general officers grades authorized by the new law.

Opposing these proposed reductions in rank is Senator Baldwin (R-Conn.) who has announced that he considers such reductions "mean and petty" and that he will introduce legislation retaining them in their higher temporary grades. In New York, Former Secretary of War Patterson also spoke out against the reductions. He said: "It would strengthen the national defense if Congress would amend the law before 30 June so as to allow these four-star officers to continue in their present rank. The competence of these officers, who are due to be demoted was thoroughly proved by their remarkable achievements in World War II. When the present law was passed in 1947, it was expected that the strength of the military establishment would be reduced. The threatening situation in our international relations now has made it necessary to increase rather than to reduce our military forces. The retention by these officers of their present rank would, therefore, be consistent with changed conditions."

In the Army, which will be restricted after 1 July to five officers above the grade of lieutenant general, it will become necessary, unless there are some unanticipated retirements or separations, to reduce three four-star generals to lower grades. There are now nine officers of three and four star ranks on active duty: Generals of the Army Eisenhower and MacArthur, and Generals Bradley, Clark, Clay, Collins, Devers, Handy, and Hodges. General Eisenhower, however, will retire on 30 June, leaving eight such officers. Three of the remaining four-star generals are now commanding field armies in the United States, a post which normally calls for a three-star commander. It is these three, therefore, who will be reduced to lieutenant generals—Mark W. Clark, Thomas H. Handy, and Courtney H. Hodges, all of whom served in important and outstanding combat commands during the war. Remaining in four-star ranks will be General Bradley, whose post as Chief of Staff is required by law to be filled by a general; General Lucius D. Clay, our European commander; General J. Lawton Collins, who recently was elevated to Deputy Chief of Staff after serving as Chief of Information; and General Jacob L. Devers, Commander, Army Field Forces. General of the Army Douglas MacArthur, although a retired officer, is counted as one of the authorized five higher ranking officers because he is on active duty. Should he elect to relinquish his post in Japan, of which there has been considerable discussion, he would be replaced by General Clark, whose war record in Italy, France, Germany and Austria, together with his fine work under arduous conditions in the occupation of Austria, puts him in line for the Far East Command and consequent restoration of his fourth star.

The law limits the Army to 27 officers higher than major general, not more than five of which can be four- or five-star officers. Thus, after 1 July, the Army can not have more than 22 lieutenant generals in addition to the five higher ranking officers discussed above. There are now 22 lieutenant generals on active duty, but with the reduction of three of the four-star officers the three-star rank will then be in excess of authorized strength by that much. However, there is a chance that some of the 22 may apply for retirement before 30 June, thus obviating further reductions.

After 1 July only four full admirals will be authorized for the Navy, one of which must be the Chief of Naval Operations. There are now eight admirals on active duty: Louis E. Denfeld, Chief of Naval Operations; Raymond A. Spruance, president of the Naval War College; Henry K. Hewitt, Military Staff Committee, Security Council; Thomas C. Kinkaid, commander Eastern Sea Frontier; DeWitt C. Ramsey, Commander in Chief, Pacific; Charles M. Cooke, jr., Twelfth Naval District; Richard L. Conolly, Commander in Chief, Eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean; and William H. P. Blandy, Commander in Chief, U. S. Atlantic Fleet. Two of these, Admirals Spruance and Cooke, probably will retire before 1 July, so that only two of the remaining officers will have to be reduced in rank to keep within the legal limits.

The Air Force is permitted four officers higher than lieutenant general after 1 July and they will have just that number: Hoyt S. Vandenberg, Chief of Staff; Muir S. Fairchild, Deputy Chief of Staff; George C. Kenney, Commanding General, Strategic Air Command and Joseph T. McNarney, Commanding General, Air Materiel Command.

Army Chaplain Corps—Chaplain (Maj. Gen.) Luther D. Miller, Chief of Chaplains, USA, addressed the students of the School of Personnel, Command and General Staff College, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., 18 May.

Chaplain (Maj.) Henry Tavel, assistant, Personnel Division, delivered the address on the occasion of the Annual Visitation of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows to the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, Arlington National Cemetery, 16 May.

Chaplain (IA. Col.) John F. Chalker, Hq., U. S. Army, Alaska, was a recent visitor to the Office of Chief of Chaplains.

Judge Advocate General's Department—Brig. Gen. Hubert D. Hoover, Assistant Judge Advocate General in charge of Military Justice Matters, is now on a trip to the West Coast for the purpose of conferences with Deans of approved law schools concerning the commissioning in the Regular Army of qualified law school graduates under the program announced in AR 605-35.

Visitors to the Judge Advocate General's Office during the past week included: Col. Franklin H. Berry, JAG-Res., formerly Special Assistant Attorney General of New Jersey, of Toms River, N. J.; Lt. Col. Charles P. Muldoon, JAG-Res. from St. Louis, Mo.; Col. Masten G. White, JAG-Res., Department of Interior, and Col. Berryman Green, JAG-Res., Department of Justice, Washington.

Navy Nurse Corps—Five nurses who recently accepted appointments as Ensign in the Nurse Corps of the Regular Navy have been assigned to the Naval Hospital, Bremerton, Wash., for their first duty. They are: Dorothy M. Frison, Portland, Ore.; Helen J. Francis, Kansas City, Mo.; Rosemary L. Gunn, Detroit, Mich.; June R. Thurnau, San Francisco, Calif. and Mae O. Lovin, San Bernardino, Calif.

Lts. (Jg) Grace Irish, Chicago, and Grace E. Gardner, Pawtucket, R. I., have returned to an active duty status in the Reserve Nurse Corps. Miss Irish has been ordered to the Naval Hospital, Great Lakes, Ill., and Miss Gardner to the Naval Dispensary, Naval Air Station, Quonset Point, R. I.

Organized Reserve Corps—Members of ORC units in the eight Western states will train and work alongside their Regular Army counterparts during this year's summer field training exercises to be conducted from 15 May to 26 Sept. Each participating unit will attend camp in a body for a 15-day period of active duty, although the present state of organization and development of most units will not permit them to function as such in field problems. During their brief duty tours the reservists will participate in the same training the Regulars are undergoing at that time at eight installations of the Sixth Army area.

Far East Command—Extensions of 29 enlistments of five years in April helped the 7th Infantry Division jump from seventh to second place among major echelons of the USAFIK. The 7th Division's total number of enlistment extensions for April was 49, as compared with 19 in March.

Maj. Robert W. Larroux, Ordnance, has taken over the duties of Chief, Entertainment Branch, USAFIK Special Service Office, replacing Maj. David S. Anderson, who returns to the United States for reassignment.

The following changes in assignments have been announced by Headquarters, 1st Cavalry Division: Capt. John C. Patterson, relieved from assignment with Headquarters, and assigned to the 7th Cavalry Regt.; 1st Lt. Olen L. Tennel has been assigned to Headquarters 1st Cavalry Division as Assistant Athletic and Recreation Officer.

Army Nurse Corps—Changes in the Corps for the month of April included 21 retirements; 205 promotions to Captain AUS; 11 promotions to 1st Lt. RA; 7 to 1st Lt. AUS; one death, and 129 other separations. Retired were Lt. Col. Lila A. Condon (RA); Joanna Peters (RA); Leslie G. Rhodes (RA), and Edna D. Umbach (RA); Maj. Anna M. Grassmyer (RA); Mary Miller (RA), and Bernice A. Wilson; Capt. Loreta A. Balkenhol, Doris E. Bowman, Mary A. Brooks, Francis E. Canniff, Catherine L. Yardley, Marion L. Ramon (RA); Nora McCombs, and Thelma M. Stephens; 1st Lts. Greta B. Adler, Audrey A. Eiselt, Lola E. T. Fraker, Ellen M. Ragoon, Ruth E. Schroeder, and Irene P. Steplyk (RA).

National Guard: A complete reorganization of the National Guard Bureau from the top command down is being worked out at Headquarters in the Pentagon and will probably be announced in detail next week. Maj. Gen. Kenneth F. Cramer will remain as Chief and under him the bureau will be divided into three main sections, (a) Planning Office, (b) Executive Office, and (c) Administrative Office. The reorganization is being made as a means of facilitating more expanded long-range plans of the National Guard and will result in a more smooth running unit when finally completed.

Army Institute of Pathology—Helenor C. Wilder, Pathologist of the Institute, presented a paper on "Pathology of Intraocular Tumors" at the meeting of the Washington Ophthalmological Society on 3 May. Mrs. Wilder proceeded to Hot Springs, Va., on TDY for 5 days on 16 May to attend the American Ophthalmological Society meetings.

The entire staff of the Army Institute of Pathology were hosts at an informal reception in the Officers' Club at Walter Reed General Hospital on the evening of 6 May in honor of Brig. Gen. Raymond O. Dart, The Director, and Mrs. Dart on the occasion of his promotion.

Lt. Col. A. A. Freeman, MC, McCormack General Hospital, Pasadena, Calif., spent last week at the Institute in preparation for the Neurology Boards.

First Army Headquarters—Gen. Courtney H. Hodges, Commanding General, First Army congratulated the Women's Army Corps of Governors Island, on the splendid work they have accomplished during the past six years both here and at many other stations in the United States and abroad. The WAC celebrated its sixth anniversary on 14 May at Governors Island with an informal party. Maj. Sharlee Kelley, WAC Director, First Army, addressed a group of WAC Officers, who celebrated the anniversary with a dinner at the Officers' Club. The Quartermaster bakery baked and decorated a large three-layer cake for the enlisted women. It was in the WAC colors, green and gold, with the inscription "Happy Anniversary to the WAC" with six lighted candles.

Transportation Corps—A Commendation Ribbon has been awarded to Lt. Col. Robert N. Wright, for his work as rail transportation regulating officer, 8th Traffic Regulating Group, European Theater of Operations, San Francisco Port of Embarkation, from 1 April 1945, to 15 June 1945. Colonel Wright is at present stationed at the San Francisco Port of Embarkation. A Commendation Ribbon also was awarded to 1st Lt. Horace A. Lowe, for his work as director of Procurement, Seattle Port of Embarkation, from Aug. 1946, to Jan. 1948. Lieutenant Lowe is at present stationed at Seattle Port of Embarkation.

Medical Department—The Surgeon General has announced the selection of Medical Department officers for specialized courses in civilian and governmental institutions as follows: The George Washington University School of Medicine, Washington, has accepted Maj. John S. Paul for a residency in General Surgery at G. W. University Hospital, Washington, to begin 1 June and terminate 1 June 1949; The

University of Pennsylvania, Graduate School of Medicine, Philadelphia, Pa., has accepted Lt. Col. William N. Piper for a course in Dermatology and Syphilology during the period 28 Sept. 1948 to 1 Oct. 1949; The Lempert Institute of Otolaryngology, New York City, has accepted Col. Robert P. Rea, for a course in Fenestration Surgery to begin 7 Sept. and terminate 16 Oct. and Washington University, School of Medicine, St. Louis, Mo., has accepted Lt. Col. Joseph W. Batch, for residency training in Orthopedic Surgery during the period 27 July 1948 to 27 July 1949.

European Command—A series of nine-day courses in property accounting and stock record maintenance started at the 7752d Finance Center in Friedberg on 17 May. The first course has 30 officer students; the second course, to start 2 June, will have 60 students—officers and enlisted men.

The Air Medal has been presented to T/Sgt. Walter A. Harris, 5th Airways and Communications Service, Wiesbaden, for "exemplary service during wartime." The presentation was made by Lt. Col. J. R. Guthrie, commanding officer of the 5th AACB unit.

Veterinary Corps—Maj. Edwin J. Sunderville, recently returned from the Far East Theater where he was on duty with the military government, has been assigned to the Quartermaster Food and Container Institute for the Armed Forces, Chicago, as Officer in Charge, Quartermaster Acceptance Testing Laboratory for foods of other than animal origin.

Lt. Col. Irvin T. Reed, Vet-Res., ORC, Little Rock Ark., and Capt. Joseph J. Vara, Vet-Res., ORC, Bonifay, Fla., upon their own application have been ordered to active duty training and assigned to the Reserve Training Detachment of their respective Army Headquarters, and directed to proceed to Chicago, and report to the Commanding Officer, Chicago Quartermaster Depot to attend the 59th class, Meat and Dairy Hygiene Course for Veterinary Corps Officers.

Army Finance Department—Maj. Gen. William H. Kasten, Chief of Finance, received the Brazilian Quartermaster General and Chief of Finance, Brig. Gen. Jose Scarcela Portela and his staff 19 May, and conducted them on a tour of the Office of the Chief of Finance in Washington. Following the tour, a luncheon was held for the visitors in the Pentagon. General Scarcela was accompanied by Capt. Rui Belmont Vaz, Capt. Joao Maria Linhares and Lt. Pefani Daroz of the Brazilian Army. Col. Emmett J. Bean, Chief, Management Division, Office of the Chief of Finance, acted as the Chairman of the Reception Committee.

Signal Corps—A group of outstanding figures in the communications industry and a number of military leaders have been invited by Brig. Gen. Francis H. Lanahan, Jr., to attend a Signal Corps anniversary celebration at Ft. Monmouth, N. J., on 28 May. The program includes a tour of the Squier Signal Laboratory and the Enlisted Department of the Signal School as well as a radar demonstration and the presentation of awards at a regimental parade.

Recent assignments in the Office of the Chief Signal Officer include that of Lt. Col. Winfred A. Ross as Chief, Communication Equipment Branch; Maj. Thomas S. Schreiber as Chief, Radar and Meteorological Branch, and 1st Lt. Robert W. Porter as Commanding Officer, Signal Corps Photographic Library and Laboratory.

Bureau of Medicine and Surgery—Rear Adm. Clifford A. Swanson, MC, USN, Surgeon General and Chief of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, has announced that a new residency in General Practice will be inaugurated in Naval Hospitals on 1 July, 1948. The Professional Division of the Bureau has developed a residency in that phase of medicine which is required to augment the several medical specialties recognized by the American Specialty Boards in order to supplement the residency training program, now operative, which is designed toward specialization. The program, as planned, will cover a period of three years. During each year of this residency Medical Officers will receive six months of training in General Medicine and related specialties, and six months in General Surgery and related specialties. Instruction will be provided by the staffs of the hospitals and outstanding civilian visiting staffs. With the introduction of this type of training Navy medicine has recognized the great need of the General Practitioner in the field of medicine.

Quartermaster Corps—Col. John N. Gage, USA-Ret., will revert to retired status on 31 July. Colonel Gage has been Commanding Officer of the Chicago Quartermaster Depot since 26 Dec. 1946. He will be succeeded by Col. John H. Judd.

Brig. Gen. Milton O. Boone, Chief Quartermaster, EUCOM, for the past two years, will return to the United States this month and will request retirement. General Boone has served in the Quartermaster Corps during his entire Army career of 31 years.

Naval Dental Corps—Rear Adm. C. V. Rault, Assistant Chief, Bureau for Dentistry and Chief of the Dental Division, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, will attend a meeting of the International Association for Dental Research in Rochester, N. Y., on 19 June and a meeting of the American Association of Dental Schools in Buffalo on 21 June. Capt. Walter Rehauer, Head of the Professional Branch, Dental Division, and Capt. Louis D. Mitchell, Dental Officer in Command, U. S. Naval Dental School, National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md., will also attend the meeting in Buffalo. Also attending the Rochester meeting are Comdr. George W. Ferguson and Alvin H. Grunewald.

Army Field Forces—General Jacob L. Devers, Chief, Army Field Forces, attended the Aircraft Industries Association conference and delivered an address at an association dinner at Williamsburg, Va., 18 May. On 21 May, General Devers addressed the Chemical Corps Association at Edgewood Arsenal, Md.

Col. John E. Wood, Facilities Division, Logistics Section, visited Pine Camp, N. Y., 22 May, to survey the training facilities there.

Col. Henry A. Barber, Jr., Control Group, Training Section, visited the Department of the Army, Washington, 16-19 May, where he attended a conference with representatives of the Director, Organization & Training Division.

Col. W. Dixon Smith, Engineer Officer, visited Camp Campbell, Ky., during the period 10-12 May, where he observed Exercise Assembly. On 13-14 May he visited the Alabama Military District Commander and ORC State Senior Instructor.

Col. Paul A. Roy, Replacement Training Branch, Training Section, visited the Department of the Army, Washington, and Ft. Dix, N. J., regarding the organization of Specialist Training Regiments for Replacement Training Centers, 12-15 May.

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asgd to OC of S:
Lt. Col. H. L. Ash
Maj. E. V. Mead
The following Inf Majors are reld fr asgmt and dy w/Stu Det, Inf Sch, Ft. Benning, and asgd as shown:

J. F. Staples, to Arty Sch, Ft. Sill, Okla.
J. M. Fiesch, to Engr Sch, Ft. Belvoir, Va.
R. B. Galbreath, to QM Sch, Cp Lee, Va.
Bert Perrin, to Transportation Sch, Ft. Mustie, Va.
G. H. Welles, to Cml Warfare Sch, Edgewood Ars, Md.

CAVALRY

Col. T. A. Seely, Indiantown Gap, Pa., to 3d Army 2108th ASU, Cp Breckinridge, Ky.
Col. G. M. Davis, Ft. Benning, to AGO Casuals, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. S. F. Cummings, Jr., Chicago, to Army Pld Forces Bd No. 2, Ft. Knox, Ky.
Lt. Col. T. K. Thomas, Westover AFB, Mass., to Hq 4th Army, Ft. Sam Houston.
Lt. Col. T. H. Allen, Wash., D. C., to MDW 7025th ASU, Ft. Meyer, Va.
Lt. Col. C. E. Kennedy, Ft. Monroe, Va., to Hq 6th Army, San Francisco.

Maj. M. T. Hunt, Jr., Ft. Knox, Ky., to 5400th ASU, Dubuque, Iowa.
Maj. S. M. Ramey, OC of S, to Hq 6th Army, San Francisco.

Capt. W. D. Harris, Ft. Lewis, Wash., to CIC Ctr, Cp Holabird, Md.
Capt. W. V. Horne, Ft. Meade, Md., to CIC Ctr, Cp Holabird, Md.

1st Lt. C. R. Coats, Ft. Meade, Md., to CIC Ctr, Cp Holabird, Md.
1st Lt. G. M. Marsh, Ft. Ord, Calif., to CIC Ctr, Cp Holabird, Md.

1st Lt. J. G. Owens, Ft. Knox, Ky., to CIC Ctr, Cp Holabird, Md.
1st Lt. S. F. Slaughter, Cp Hood, Tex., to CIC Ctr, Cp Holabird, Md.

1st Lt. C. E. Holliday, Pasadena, Calif., to 9th Inf Div, Ft. Dix, N. J.
2d Lt. C. R. May, Ft. Knox, Ky., to 2d Armd Div, Cp Hood, Tex.

2d Lt. Roy B. Smith, Ft. Knox, Ky., to 717th Tank Bn, Ft. Lewis, Wash.

FIELD ARTILLERY

Col. A. E. Ginsburgh, Wash., D. C., to Hq 6th Army, San Francisco.
Lt. Col. R. H. Camp, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., to Hq 5th Army, Chicago.

Lt. Col. C. L. Isenberg, San Francisco, to NG Bu OC of S.
Maj. Roy S. Geiger, Governors Isl, N. Y., to Arty Sch, Ft. Sill, Okla.

Maj. Winant Sidle, OC of S, to Hy 5th Army, Chicago.
Maj. J. F. Stephens, Ft. Lawton, Wash., to Hq 6th Army, San Francisco.

Capt. E. G. Donohue, Cp Holabird, Md., to 3d Armd Div, Ft. Knox, Ky.
Capt. H. R. Jackson, Gainesville, Fla., to Hq 6th Army, San Francisco.

Capt. D. B. Jones, Jr., Ft. Lawton, Wash., to Hq 4th Army, Ft. Sam Houston.
Capt. G. C. Mueller, Denver, to 174th AFF Photo Interpretation Tm, Bolling AFB, D. C.

Capt. J. H. Sanguinetti, Ft. Mason, Calif., to 2d Inf Div, Ft. Lewis, Wash.
Capt. E. L. Smith, Ames, Iowa, to Hq 6th Army, San Francisco.

Capt. W. D. Tatsch, Ft. Bragg, N. C., to USMA.
1st Lt. J. B. Bennet, Jr., Ft. Knox, Ky., to Hq 3d Army, Ft. McPherson, Ga.

1st Lt. J. R. Harman, Jr., Ft. Sill, Okla., to Hq 3d Army, Ft. McPherson, Ga.
1st Lt. W. R. Wolfe, Jr., Ft. Lawton, Wash., to Hq 3d Army, Ft. McPherson, Ga.

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS

Col. J. G. Murphy, SEPR, to O Sec'y of the Army, Wash., D. C.
Col. W. C. McFadden, Ft. Mason, Calif., to AA&GM Br Arty Sch, Ft. Bliss, Tex.

Maj. J. R. Buntyn, San Francisco, to Arty Sch, Ft. Sill, Okla.

Maj. T. H. Mayers, Ft. Sill, Okla., to 3242d ASU, Wilmington, N. C.
Maj. H. G. Wood, Governors Isl, N. Y., to AFF Bd No. 4, Ft. Bliss, Tex.

Maj. P. R. Reagan, Ft. Sill, Okla., to OC of S.
Capt. S. W. Josephson, San Francisco, to Spec Wpns Project, Albuquerque.

Capt. R. C. Thomas, Cp Lee, Va., to 267th AAA Gp, Ft. Bliss, Tex.
1st Lt. G. D. Dean, San Francisco, to Spec Wpns Project, Albuquerque.

1st Lt. R. V. Munguia, Ft. Knox, Ky., to 50th AAA Automatic Wpns Bn, Ft. Bliss, Tex.
2d Lt. F. F. Lawrence, Ft. Riley, Kans., to AA & GM Br Arty Sch, Ft. Bliss, Tex.

CORPS OF ENGINEERS

Lt. GEN. R. A. WHEELER, C OF E
Lt. Col. H. E. Bisbort, Ft. Belvoir, Va., to N. Atlantic Div, CE, N. Y. C.

Lt. Col. R. C. Sahr, Ft. Belvoir, Va., to Hq 4th Army, Ft. Sam Houston.
Lt. Col. L. W. Correll, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., to 6805th ASU, Pullman, Wash.

Lt. Col. H. R. Fraser, San Francisco, to USMA.
Lt. Col. W. R. McCutchen, Chicago, to S. Pacific Div, CE, Oakland, Calif.

Lt. Col. D. S. Parker, OC of S, to Hq 6th Army, San Francisco.
Lt. Col. J. A. Thetford, Chicago, to S. Atlantic Div, CE, Atlanta, Ga.

Lt. Col. E. J. Gallagher, Wash., D. C., to Mo. River CE, Omaha, Nebr.
Lt. Col. S. M. Lipton, Chicago, to Mo. River Div, CE, Omaha, Nebr.

Lt. Col. T. H. Setliffe, USMA, to Mo. River Div, CE, Omaha, Nebr.
Lt. Col. J. K. Smith, Ft. Lawton, Wash., to Engr Ctr, Ft. Belvoir, Va.

Lt. Col. J. W. Paxton, Chicago, to Mo. River Div, CE, Omaha, Nebr.
Maj. D. K. Blue, San Francisco, to USMA.

Maj. F. M. Kehoe, Ft. Belvoir, Va., to S. Pacific Div, CE, Oakland, Calif.
Maj. H. Richardson, Jr., Ft. Sam Houston, to USMA.

Maj. E. W. Fischer, Ft. Belvoir, Va., to Hq 4th Army, Ft. Sam Houston.
Maj. D. B. Dixon, Ft. Belvoir, to Lower Miss. Valley Div, CE, Vicksburg, Miss.

Maj. John McClure, Jr., Ft. Sam Houston, to N. Atlantic Div, CE, N. Y. C.
Maj. R. C. Marshall, Governors Isl, N. Y., to N. Atlantic Div, CE, N. Y. C.

Maj. W. F. Thomas, Ft. Belvoir, Va., to S. Atlantic Div, CE, Atlanta, Ga.
Maj. J. V. Chautry, Chicago, to Ohio River Div, CE, Cincinnati.

Capt. D. R. Elliott, Boise, Idaho, to 2d Inf Div, Ft. Lewis, Wash.
Capt. C. A. Jones, Jr., Governors Isl, N. Y., to Ohio River Div, CE, Cincinnati.

Capt. F. B. Proctor, San Francisco, to S. Pacific Div, CE, Oakland, Calif.
Capt. J. J. Upchurch, III, Governors Isl, N. Y., to S. Atlantic Div, CE, Atlanta, Ga.

Capt. J. J. Silva, Ft. Lawton, Wash., to Hq 5th Army, Chicago.
Capt. V. D. Wood, Jr., Ft. Belvoir, Va., to SW Div, CE, Dallas, Tex.

1st Lt. H. C. Jones, Cp Stoneman, Calif., to Hq 1st Army, Governors Isl, N. Y.
1st Lt. R. L. Kilpatrick, Westover AFB, Mass., to Gen Dep. Memphis, Tenn.

1st Lt. L. A. Nuckolls, Ft. Riley, Kans., to AF Project PAC-X0723.
1st Lt. J. F. Postiewicz, Hot Springs, Ark., to 4th Army 17th Armd Engr Bn, Cp Hood, Tex.

1st Lt. K. M. Moore, Jr., Ft. Lawton, Wash., to Hq 6th Army, San Francisco.
1st Lt. J. P. O'Hanlon, Ft. Lawton, Wash., to Hq 1st Army, Governors Isl, N. Y.

2d Lt. J. J. Bleiman, Ft. Belvoir, Va., to OCE.
2d Lt. M. A. Rosen, Ft. Belvoir, Va., to OCE.

The following CE officers are reld fr sta shown and asgd to Stu Det, Engr Sch, Engr Ctr, Ft. Belvoir, Va.:

Maj. M. F. Allotta, Hq Fourth Army, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
Capt. J. C. Bell, Jr., Hq Fifth Army, Chicago.

Capt. E. C. Bruce, Hq Fourth Army, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
Maj. R. B. Burlin, Hq First Army, Governors Isl, N. Y.

Maj. R. Delaney, Hq Fourth Army, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
Capt. G. P. Ingwersen, Hq Fifth Army, Chicago.

Capt. M. H. May, Hq Fourth Army, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
Capt. D. J. Meltrick, Hq First Army, Governors Isl, N. Y.

Capt. J. W. Morris, Hq Fifth Army, Chicago.
Capt. C. S. Reed, Jr., Hq First Army, Governors Isl, N. Y.

Capt. W. F. Boos, Hq Fifth Army, Chicago.
Maj. A. W. Sanders, Jr., Hq Fifth Army, Chicago.

Maj. J. B. Schremp, Hq First Army, Governors Isl, N. Y.
Capt. F. M. Smith, Hq Fifth Army, Chicago.

Maj. W. J. Talbott, Hq Fourth Army, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
Capt. V. O. Wilson, Hq First Army, Governors Isl, N. Y.

Maj. C. Young, Hq Fourth Army, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
Capt. E. A. Buzalski, Hq Fifth Army, Chicago.

Maj. J. H. Dougherty, Jr., Hq Sixth Army, San Francisco, Calif.

The following CE officers are reld fr Governors Isl, N. Y., and asgd as indicated:
Capt. M. E. Steinbring, to N. Atlantic Div, CE, NYC.

Capt. F. B. Smith, to Mo. River Dist CE, Omaha, Nebr.
Capt. R. E. Burrows, Jr., to Mo. River Div CE, Omaha, Nebr.

Lt. Col. J. E. Minahan, to Ohio River Div CE, Cincinnati.
Capt. N. E. Pehrson, to Ohio River Div CE, Cincinnati.

The following CE officers are reld fr asgmt an dy as indicated and asgd to AF Project PAC-X0723:

1st Lt. H. R. Andrezejewski, Sixth Army 562d Engr Boat Maint Bn, Ft. Worden, Wash.
1st Lt. N. W. Baas, Sixth Army 6006th ASU, Ft. Lewis, Wash.

1st Lt. M. Burnett, 9206th TSU TC SFPE, Capt. R. H. Calloway, Sixth Army 5th Engr Combat Bn, Ft. Lewis, Wash.

Capt. J. F. Conti, Fifth Army 5608th ASU Sioux Ord Depot, Sidney, Nebr.
Capt. H. G. Crawley, Second Army 3d Armd Div, Ft. Knox, Ky.

1st Lt. F. Dunford, Sixth Army 2d Engr Combat Bn, Ft. Lewis, Wash.
1st Lt. F. M. Edgar, Jr., Second Army 19th Engr Combat Bn, Cp Campbell, Ky.

1st Lt. H. Greenwood, Sixth Army 4th Inf Div, Ft. Ord, Calif.
1st Lt. S. R. Lewis, Fourth Army 73d Engr Combat Bn, Cp Hood, Tex.

Capt. H. L. Martin, Sixth Army 6002d ASU Sv Det, Ft. Lawton, Wash.
1st Lt. W. A. Miller, Second Army 984th Engr Maint Co, Cp Campbell, Ky.

Capt. W. E. Nagel, Sixth Army 573d Engr Ponton Bridge Co, Ft. Lewis, Wash.
1st Lt. R. Patrick, Fourth Army 73d Engr Combat Bn, Cp Hood, Tex.

Capt. N. A. Rial, Fourth Army 17th Armd Engr Bn, Cp Hood, Tex.
Capt. P. F. Wolfe, Sixth Army 532d Engr Boat and Shore Regt, Ft. Worden, Wash.

Capt. J. W. Harrington, Second Army 185th Engr Combat Bn, Cp Campbell, Ky.
Capt. L. J. Hoscheid, Sixth Army 2d Engr Special Brigade, Ft. Worden, Wash.

SIGNAL CORPS

MAJ. GEN. SPENCER B. AKIN, CSO
Col. A. M. Shearer, Sacramento, to OC Sig O.

Lt. Col. G. B. Cauble, Governors Isl, N. Y., to OC of S.
Lt. Col. W. D. Joslin, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., to OC of S.

Maj. C. J. Rabauser, Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to OC Sig O.
Maj. H. A. Vest, Ft. Monmouth, N. J., to Hq 2d Army, Ft. McPherson, Ga.

Capt. T. Maguire, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to 7th Trans Medium Port, Ft. Hamilton, N. Y.
Capt. E. C. Webster, Decatur, Ill., to 5025th ASU, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.

1st Lt. H. L. Beard, Greenville AFB, S. C., to Armed Forces Sp Wpns Project, Albuquerque.
1st Lt. R. J. Marnell, NYC, to 1st Army Hq 1st Sv Com, Boston.

1st Lt. J. J. McCarty, Warrenton, Va., to Army Security Agency, Arlington, Va.
1st Lt. Fenton Markley, Scott AFB, Ill., to Hq, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.

1st Lt. J. H. Vogel, Ft. Meade, Md., to Sig C Photo Ctr, Long Isl City, N. Y.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPT.

MAJ. GEN. E. F. WITSELL, TAG
Maj. R. L. Bates, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to 3257th ASU, St. Louis.

Maj. A. D. Donat, San Francisco, to CIC Ctr, Cp Holabird, Md.
Maj. A. L. Houghland, Ft. Monroe, Va., to NG Bu OC of S.

Capt. A. F. Becker, Wash., D. C., to Pers Ctr, Cp Kilmer, N. J.

JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL'S DEPT.
MAJ. GEN. T. H. GREEN, TJAG
Lt. Col. D. P. MacArthur, Governors Isl, N. Y., to JAGO.

Capt. W. L. Whalen, Boston, to JAGO.

QUARTERMASTER CORPS

MAJ. GEN. T. B. LARKIN, QMG
Lt. Col. S. D. Cochen, Los Angeles, to 4000th ASU, Ft. Sam Houston.

Lt. Col. W. J. M. Turner, Cp Kilmer, N. J., to Sp S Sch, Ft. Monmouth, N. J.
Maj. J. E. Dock, Richmond, Va., to 1st Army 1802d ASU, Ft. Totten, N. Y.

Maj. A. E. Pendley, Ft. Benning, Ga., to QM Sch, Cp Lee, Va.
Maj. E. C. Skinner, Wash., D. C., to QM Sch, Cp Lee, Va.

Capt. W. C. Barefield, New Orleans, to 911th TSU, Lawrence, Mass.
Capt. B. R. Downey, Ft. Hayes, Ohio, to 2d Army 2117th ASU, Ft. B. Harrison, Ind.

Capt. O. G. Stutzman, OQMG, to 9124th TSU, NYC.
Capt. G. Z. Traeger, Chicago, to QM Sch, Cp Lee, Va.

1st Lt. R. A. Land, Chicago, to 9135th TSU, Cp Lee, Va.
1st Lt. H. S. Sharp, Terre Haute, Ind., to 82d Abn Div, Ft. Bragg, N. C.

2d Lt. V. O. Crawford, Ft. Mason, Calif., to 549th QM Ldry Co, Cp Lee, Va.
The following QMC officers are reld fr sta shown and asgd to Stu Det QM Sch, Cp Lee: Maj. E. J. Byrne, OQMG.

Maj. T. M. Simpson, Jr., 2d Inf Div, Ft. Lewis, Wash.

Lewis, Wash.
Maj. J. N. Herndon, Second Army 2118th ASU, Cp Campbell, Ky.

Capt. W. Irons, Second Army 2314th ASU Rctg Dist, Richmond, Va.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. W. H. KASTEN, C OF F
Lt. Col. W. A. Cayer, Benicia, Calif., to 6th Army 6033d ASU, Ft. Ord, Calif.

Lt. Col. G. E. Turner, Los Angeles, to Regional Office AAA, Wash., D. C.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

MAJ. GEN. R. W. BLISS, SG
Medical Corps
Col. K. A. Brower, Ft. Sam Houston, to Valley Forge GH, Phoenixville, Pa.

Lt. Col. K. H. Anderson, Wash., D. C., to Fitzsimons GH, Denver.
Lt. Col. E. J. Genetti, Chicago, to 5th Army, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.

Lt. Col. R. N. Lehman, Philadelphia, to AMC, Wash., D. C.
Lt. Col. H. B. Graves, Denver, to AMC, Wash., D. C.

Lt. Col. O. P. Moffitt, Denver, to 27th AFB, Randolph AFB, Tex.
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SECRETARY of Defense James Forrestal was host at luncheon at the Pentagon 18 May, in honor of Gen. Humberto Sosa Molino, Minister of War from the Argentine, in Washington at the invitation of Secretary of the Army Kenneth Royall. General Molino was later entertained at a reception at Blair House by Assistant Secretary of State Norman Armour. Guests included staff members of the Argentine Embassy; ranking Army officers; Members of Congress and the Inter-American Defense Board and representatives of the State Department.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Walter Walte have cards out for a party 1 June and Maj. Gen. and Mrs. William Koffen are to entertain 28 June at Ft. McNair.

Comdr. William Camp Fitzhugh Robards, USN, who has been assigned quarters at the Naval Gun Factory, Washington, will be joined this coming week by his mother, Mrs. Frank Fitzhugh Robards.

Secretary and Mrs. Royall left Washington 19 May for New York where they will visit their new grandson and his mother the former Miss Margaret Royall. The new grandson, George Harrison Davis, was born to the Secretary's daughter and son-in-law, Dr. James Evans Davis, of New York City, in the Lying In Hospital on 18 May. Mr. and Mrs. Davis' two other sons are James E. Davis and Kenneth Royall Davis.

A fourth grandchild is Kenneth Royall 3d, son of Kenneth Royall, Jr., and Mrs. Royall. Mr. Royall, Jr., served over seas during World War II.

The Chief of Naval Operations and Mrs. Louis E. Denfeld entertained at a dinner party 18 May at the "Admiral's House" on Observatory Hill in compliment to Admiral Sir Henry Moore of the British Royal Navy, who is leaving soon for England.

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Woodberry, daughter of Brig. Gen.
and Mrs. John H. Woodberry, whose
marriage to Dr. Brown took place in
the Post Chapel at Fort Sam Houston.

Beebe were complimented with the retiring aide and his wife, Comdr. and Mrs. George Bullard, at a supper party 15 May, by Admiral and Mrs. Radford.

The Judge Advocate General and Mrs. Thomas H. Green headed the receiving line, assisted by Col. and Mrs. Claude Mickelwait, at the dance given by personnel of the Judge Advocate's Office, at the Army-Navy Country Club the evening of 14 May. In the company were Lt. Col. and Mrs. Curtis Williams; Maj. and Mrs. Kenneth Hodson; Maj. and Mrs. Robert Leney; Maj. and Mrs. James R. Mills; Capt. and Mrs. Sam Spitzer, and Capt. and Mrs. Milton Quinton. Mrs. Frank C. Alfred and Mrs. Waldemar Solf were responsible for the very lovely decorations.

Comdr. and Mrs. Herschel A. House entertained at the United Nations Club, the afternoon of 22 May.

Brig. Gen. and Mrs. William E. Riley entertained at cocktails on 17 and 18 May, with Brig. Gen. John Taylor Selden and Mrs. Selden as guests of honor. General and Mrs. Selden are visiting Mrs. Selden's brother and his wife, Rear Adm. and Mrs. Robert O. Glover at the Westchester.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. William P. T. Hill were ranking guests in the company of officers of the Marine Corps Supply Department, who held a brilliant gathering 19 May to say farewell to Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Fred S. Robillard on the eve of their departure for the West Coast 21 May. Brig. Gen. and Mrs. William E. Riley also were hosts to the Robillards at a supper party.

Quintico beckoned to many on 15 May when cocktail parties were given by Col. and Mrs. Clayton Jerome; Lt. Col. and Mrs. A. L. Bowser, and Lt. Col. and Mrs. P. G. Chandler.

Lt. Col. and Mrs. R. R. Moorman, and Lt. Col. and Mrs. T. T. Paul entertained a group of University of Illinois student officers and their wives with a buffet supper 8 May at the home of the Moormans, before a dance at the Chanute AFB Officers' Club.

Guests included: Lt. Col. and Mrs. R. Lutz; Lt. Col. and Mrs. W. Hatt; Lt. Col. and Mrs. D. R. Guy; Lt. Col. and Mrs. W. Snouffer; Maj. and Mrs. J. T. Brown; Maj. and Mrs. J. G. Hoffman; Capt. and Mrs. L. L. Leech; Capt. J. T. O'Hea and Miss Marie Shaeffer; Capt. and Mrs. G. B. Brown, and Captain Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brown. (Please turn to Page 1014)

Weddings and Engagements

MISS Julia Churchill Kenney, daughter of Gen. and Mrs. George Churchill Kenney, was married 15 May; to 1st Lt. Edward Carl Hoagland, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carl Hoagland, sr., of Louisville, Ky., at Andrews Air Force Base Chapel, Md. The ceremony was performed by Lt. Col. Edward A. Rehn, Chaplain, USAF.

The bride, escorted by her father, wore a gown worn by her mother and grandmother. The gown was of Duchess satin with an oval neckline surrounded by lace and caught up with pearls. The skirt was draped with lace and pearls. The rose-point veil was held in place by pearls. She carried a bouquet of pale pink roses.

The matron of honor, Mrs. William R. Kenney is a sister-in-law of the bride. She wore a gown of apple green marquisette with a short cape of the same material and a halo for her hair and she carried a bouquet of spring flowers.

The best man was Mr. William Pierce Hoagland, brother of the bridegroom; ushers were 1st Lt. William R. Kenney, brother of the bride; 1st Lt. Elliot O'Dell, Victor H. Wise, and Richard C. Rabb, of 336th Fighter Squadron, 4th Fighter Group, Andrews Air Force Base.

A reception was given after the ceremony at the quarters of the bride's parents.

The bride was graduated from Bradford Junior College, Bradford, Mass., and the University of North Carolina. Her father was Commanding General of the 5th Air Force and the Far East Air Force during the last war. General Kenney is now Commanding General of the Strategic Air Command, with Headquarters at Andrews Air Force Base, near Washington, D. C.

The bridegroom attended The Citadel, Charleston, S. C., and is now stationed at Andrews Air Force Base with the 336th Fighter Squadron, 4th Fighter Group. His parents live in Louisville, Ky. The couple will live at 2106 Ft. Davis Street, S.E., Washington, D. C.

Miss Peggy Freeland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Milton Freeland, of Kansas City, Mo., became the bride of Lt. William Stevens Lawton, Jr., son of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Lawton of Ft. Winfield Scott, Calif., on 5 May, the ceremony taking place in St. Paul's Episcopal Church. Dr. Richard M. Trelease officiated.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of Claude white mousseline de sole embroidered in white silk ivy leaves; an off-the-shoulder model with basque and a diaphanous hoop-style skirt which lengthened into a short train, the whole enveloped in a full length illusion veil. White lilacs and valley lilies formed her bouquet.

Her matron of honor was Mrs. Robert Wick. Other attendants were Mrs. Al Hanley and Miss Kathryn Sue Rogers. Little Miss Carolyn Gregory Cochran was flower girl.

The best man was Ens. Verne Fink, USCG, and the groomsmen were Messrs. Russell Jones, Albert Handley, Earl Schroeder and Kenneth Loftus.

A reception followed at the Kansas City Country Club after which the couple left for Sea Island.

Lieutenant Lawton is assigned to Ft. Benning, Ga., where he will take his bride this week, for station.

The wedding of Miss Frances Pierpont Pryor, daughter of Mrs. James Chambers Pryor and the late Rear Adm. James Chambers Pryor, MC, USN, and Mr. Edward Flood Beyer, Jr., son of Capt. and Mrs. Edward Flood Beyer, took place on 13 May at the home of Mrs. Walter Ripberger, Brooklyn, N. Y. Rear Adm. William N. Thomas, Chief Chaplain, officiated. The bride was given in marriage by her brother Capt. James Chambers Pryor, Jr., USA. She was attended by Mrs. Frank Adams Baker, Jr. The bridegroom's best man was his father, Capt. Edward Flood Beyer, USNR.

Mrs. Beyer is a graduate of Packer Collegiate Institute and Vassar College.

Class of 1941. Mr. Beyer was graduated from Stanford University in 1939.

The couple will make their home in Mexico City where Mr. Beyer is associated with Wells Fargo & Co.

The wedding in New York City of Miss Mary Deane Hilliker, daughter of Mr. Douglas H. Hilliker, to Lt. Harry Handly Caldwell, USN, son of Mrs. H. H. Caldwell and the late Captain Caldwell, took place at the home of the bridegroom's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Phillips, 7 May. The Rev. Dr. Samuel Trexler officiated.

The bride's father gave her in marriage and she was attended by Miss Nance E. Johnson. William J. Dorworth of Schenectady, N. Y., was Lieutenant Caldwell's best man.

Mrs. Caldwell is a graduate of Hunter College.

Lieutenant Caldwell was graduated from the USNA '44. Until the end of the war he served in the Pacific as an officer on the Dace. In 1946, on the submarine Sennet, he went to the Antarctic with Adm. Richard E. Byrd's Operation High Jump. His father was the late Adm. George E. Dewey's aide at the Battle of Manila Bay in the War with Spain.

Capt. Carroll J. Victor, Mather Air Force Base, and Miss Etta Geene, of Sacramento, were married at the Base Chapel 1 May, in a double ring ceremony with Maj. Estes L. Lewis, Protestant Chaplain, of McClellan Air Force Base, officiating.

The wedding took place in the afternoon and was followed by a reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter H. Geene of Sacramento.

The matron of honor was Mrs. Betty Newfield of Sacramento, and the best man was Robert Geene, brother of the bride. Capt. Floyd J. Walter of Mather Air Force Base Hospital and Lt. Harold Kristal, Mather Air Force Base, served as ushers. The father of the bride gave her in marriage.

Mrs. Victor's wedding costume was a floor-length period gown of white nylonette. It featured long sleeves, an overskirt patterned of nylonette brocade in a lily-of-the-valley pattern. Her shoulder-length veil was caught to a white halo brim headdress and she carried a bouquet of white snapdragons, bouvardia and sweet peas.

Following a reception the couple left for a wedding trip to Minneapolis.

Captain Victor has been stationed at Mather for the past year and has been in the service for six years. He was graduated from High School in Minneapolis and attended the University of Minnesota.

Mrs. Victor has lived in Sacramento for the past two years and previously made her home in New Jersey.

The marriage of Mrs. Georgette Therese Biscarat, daughter of Mrs. Laure Biscarat of Marseille, France, to Maj. Walter Lincoln Spaulding, QMC, son of Mr. W. Virgil Spaulding, Altadena, Calif., took place 22 April, at the Ft. Lesley J. McNair Chapel with Chaplain (Maj.) Ross E. Purinton officiating.

Miss Joy Munden of London was the bride's attendant and Lt. Col. Ivan L. Brennaman, TC, was best man.

The bride was given in marriage by Mr. Phillip W. Kelleher, Legal Advisor in the Office of the Chief of Engineers, and life long friend of the bridegroom.

The engagement of Mrs. Zell Alsop, widow of the late Lt. Walter James Alsop, USMA, Class '39, has been announced to Maj. Victor Lohorn of Ft. Bliss, Texas. The wedding will take place in the Post Chapel, Ft. Sam Houston, 26 June.

Miss Jean Douglas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Douglas, of Cleveland, was married 15 May, to Mr. Arthur Winslow, of Newport, son of the late (Please turn to Page 1014)

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18 May 1948

Capt. and Mrs. Valentine Pottle; Capt. and Mrs. Neil K. Dietrich, and Gen. and Mrs. Richard M. Cutts, all of Washington, spent the week-end here for the reunion of the Naval Academy Class of '23.

Capt. and Mrs. Peter W. Haas, of the Experiment Station, had as their house guests for the week-end, Capt. and Mrs. Marion J. Duncan, and Comdr. W. J. McCafferty of New York; Rear Adm. and Mrs. Warren S. Parr, and Capt. and Mrs. Harry Keith of Washington; Capt. and Mrs. W. H. Von Dreele, of Aldre, Va.; and Mrs. T. C. Evans, widow of Commander Evans.

Mrs. St. Clair Smith, widow of Admiral Smith, has returned to Annapolis after a month's visit to Florida.

Comdr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Dodson entertained at dinner 15 May in their quarters on Bowyer Rd., in honor of Comdr. and Mrs. J. G. Ross, and Comdr. and Mrs. Dwight Johnson who are to leave Annapolis in the near future.

Capt. and Mrs. Paul Dugan, of the Radio Station, were hosts over at their quarters on Capt. and Mrs. Thomas J. Casey, of Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl G. Gesen, of Concord, N. H., who attended the 1923 USNA reunion.

WEST POINT, N. Y.

17 May 1948

The Army Athletic Association was host at a Sports Breakfast at the Thayer Hotel 16 May to civilian and officer personnel who participated in Cadet athletic activities during the year.

Stewart Field Officers' Club was the scene of the dinner party and amateur floor show given by Maj. and Mrs. R. F. Schaffer; Capt. and Mrs. R. M. Scott; and Lt. and Mrs. R. H. Parker, 14 May, for members of the Class of June '43 and their wives.

Maj. and Mrs. D. P. Day entertained the Spanish Club with a cocktail buffet supper at their home in Cornwall, N. Y., as the last meeting of the year. Members of the group presented Major Day with an overnight bag in appreciation of his services as Spanish instructor during the year.

Wives of the Class of '41 entertained departing wives of the Class at a tea at the home of Mrs. H. W. Cochran, Jr., 14 May. Mrs. L. H. Watson, Jr., Mrs. P. C. Root, Jr., and Mrs. H. V. Ellis acted as hostesses.

NEWPORT, R. I.

16 May 1948

The Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Air, John Brown, and Mrs. Brown, were honor guests of Admiral and Mrs. Raymond A. Spruance at luncheon on 15 May, at President's House, Naval War College, Mr. Brown, earlier in the day, delivered the principal address to the graduating class of the War College. He and Mrs. Brown were week-end guests of his mother, Mrs. Nicholas Brown, at Harbour Court, Newport.

Mrs. John Hyde and Mrs. Harry Greer were the committee in charge of a farewell buffet supper for submarine officers and their wives at the Naval Officers Club, Newport, 13 May. At a luncheon given by wives of Officers of Cruiser Division 10 at the club on 14 May, the hostesses were Mrs. W. O. Mann, Mrs. J. K. Davidson and Mrs. T. B. McMurtrey.

A memorial service for Comdr. Ralph Fuoss, USN, was held in Dixie Kiefer Memorial Chapel, Quonset Point, before his body was taken to Pennsylvania for funeral and burial on 13 May. Commander Fuoss, commanding officer of Squadron VF-17A, was killed off the Naval Air Station at Quonset Point when the PH-1 "Phantom" jet fighter he was flying crashed into Narragansett Bay as he approached the air station for a landing. Comdr. Abbott Peterson, Jr., USN, Senior Chaplain at Quonset Point, officiated at the rites, which were attended by members of the aviator's squadron as well as family and friends. At the funeral at Bellwood, Pa., and the burial at Altoona, Pa., officers of VF-17A served as pallbearers.

THE INFANTRY CENTER

FT. BENNING, GA.

14 May 1948

Eleven prospective military attaches visited the Infantry Center this past week for a four-day tour, during which time the officers were given an orientation study in preparation for assignments to foreign embassies. Included in the delegation were Col. Edward F. Adams, Col. John W. Harmony, Lt. Col. James R. Davidson, Lt. Col. John T. Malloy, Lt. Col. Jacob F. Mynderse, Lt. Col. Woodrow W. Stromberg, Maj. Bidwell Moore, Capt. John J. Christensen, Capt. Daniel T. George, Capt. John F. Manning, and Capt. Donald G. McNamara.

Winners of the Flag Tournament, played on the Benning course last week, were Mrs. Donald Landon, A-flight winner; Mrs. J. A. Remus, B-flight winner; and Mrs. C. M. Fredendorf, nine-hole group winner.

Entertaining a bride-elect, Miss Jean Graham, daughter of Mrs. Otis L. Graham and the late Colonel Graham of Columbus, Mrs. Robert B. Hill and Mrs. William North gave a formal tea at the quarters of Colonel Hill on Tuesday. Benning sub-debs who assisted

in serving were Misses Jennie Quin Redwine, Ann Bragan, Helen Wilbur, and Harriet Grizzard.

THE ARMORED CENTER

FT. KNOX, KY.

14 May 1948

Visiting The Armored Center and Ft. Knox on 10 and 11 May, were Gen. Thomas T. Handy, Commanding General, Fourth Army, and Maj. Gen. John Chapman, head of the Australian Mission to the United States. Accompanying General Handy were Brig. Gen. H. I. Hodes, Chief of Staff, Fourth Army, and two officers of General Handy's staff: Col. S. T. Vincent and Lt. Col. C. A. Sandford.

At an impressive Mother's Day church service held at the Post Field House 9 May, Mrs. Allen, wife of Maj. Gen. Roderick R. Allen, Commanding General, 3d Armored Division, was presented with a beautiful floral offering by the officers and men of the Division. Along with the floral piece came the honorary title of "Mother of the Division."

One hundred and eleven officers from throughout the First, Second, Fourth and Fifth Army Areas completed the two-week Reserve Officer Refresher and Orientation Course No. 5 at The Armored School on 14 May. Brig. Gen. Bruce C. Clarke, Assistant Commandant, delivered the graduation address.

The cutting of a "birthday" cake by Col. Jesse L. Glibney, Deputy Post Commander, marked the Sixth Anniversary of the WAC at a buffet supper and dance held by the 2128 ASU WAC Detachment in their recreation hall 14 May. Commanding Officer of the unit is Capt. Elizabeth A. Wilbern. Among the special guests were Col. and Mrs. David A. Taylor; Col. John T. Axton; Col. Richard T. Benson; Lt. Col. and Mrs. O. G. Piland; and Lt. Col. and Mrs. Harold H. Cook.

SAN DIEGO, CALIF.

17 May 1948

On Saturday Naval officers of the Class of '16, USNA, held a reunion in the form of an all day game party and roast pig barbecue. Rear Adm. and Mrs. Calvin T. Durgin were hosts for the gathering and the setting of their Naval Air Station quarters afforded the guests hours of tennis, swimming and golf. Many out-of-town guests joined the party which included: Comdr. and Mrs. A. H. Bateman, and Mrs. W. E. Miller, of Los Angeles; Capt. and Mrs. W. F. Benson; Capt. and Mrs. J. M. Bloom of Los Gatos; Capt. and Mrs. A. D. Burbans; Comdr. and Mrs. W. S. Carrington; Mrs. Clara M. Carpenter; Comdr. and Mrs. E. F. Cochran; Capt. and Mrs. A. T. Emerson; Capt. and Mrs. B. F. Flood, of Berkeley; Admiral and Mrs. H. L. Groskopf, of San Francisco; Rear Adm. and Mrs. S. P. Glinder; Capt. and Mrs. B. F. Jenkins; Rear Adm. and Mrs. W. E. Kitts; Capt. and Mrs. W. F. Loventhal; Rear Adm. and Mrs. A. D. Mayer; Capt. and Mrs. Kneffler McGinnis; Rear Adm. and Mrs. B. J. Rodgers; Comdr. and Mrs. A. V. Root; Comdr. and Mrs. P. W. Rutledge; Admiral and Mrs. E. P. Sauer; Comdr. and Mrs. J. E. Terhune; Capt. and Mrs. L. P. Wessel; Mrs. Eleanor Young; Capt. and Mrs. R. E. Webb; and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Keady, of Chicago.

NORFOLK, VA.

20 May 1948

Rear Adm. and Mrs. E. P. Forrestel who left this week for Coronado, Calif., where Admiral Forrestel will take command of the Destroyer Division of the Pacific Fleet, were guests of honor Saturday night at a dinner party given at the Norfolk Yacht and Country Club by Mr. and Mrs. Harry O. Nichols. Other guests included Capt. and Mrs. Millard R. Hudson; Capt. and Mrs. Luther K. Reynolds; Mr. and Mrs. W. Meade Stone; and Mr. and Mrs. Carlton H. Furr.

The officers of the Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, entertained Saturday evening at a dinner dance in the Bachelor Officers' Quarters, Naval Station, in honor of Capt. A. L. Lindall, new commanding officer, and Mrs. Lindall. Receiving with the honor guests were Capt. and Mrs. William H. Harrell and Rear Adm. John C. Adams, District Medical Officer and Mrs. Adams. Other guests included Capt. and Mrs. J. N. C. Gordon and Mrs. Melvin Ashton; Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith; Capt. and Mrs. A. R. Harris; Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Devine, of Norfolk; and Dr. and Mrs. Russell M. Cox, of Portsmouth.

The Officers of the Naval Station and Naval Base entertained Tuesday at a cocktail party at the Officer's Club, Naval Station, in honor of Rear Adm. Emmet P. Forrestel and Mrs. Forrestel, and Rear Adm. Clarence E. Olsen, new Commander of the Naval Station, and Mrs. Olsen.

The Leading Men and Quartermen Association of the Naval Station were hosts on Tuesday night at a dinner in the Officer's Club in honor of Rear Adm. and Mrs. Emmet P. Forrestel, Capt. and Mrs. P. J. Halloran and Comdr. and Mrs. W. O. Treber.

CAMP LEE, VA.

19 May 1948

Ladies of the Staff and Recruiting School Faculty, Adjutant General's School, gave a reception for all Camp Lee WACs 17 May at the AG School Recreation Hall in honor

of the WAC Sixth Birthday on 14 May. Mrs. Harris F. Scherer and Capt. Ruth E. Paul were in charge of arrangements for the party. Aquatic activities for the 1948 summer season got underway with the official opening of Lake Jordan and the swimming pools on the post 17 May. Opened were the Officer's Recreational Center pool, Hartman pool, and Edmonds pool.

M/Sgt. "Snuffy" Snyder, caretaker of Lake Jordan, has been working hard with a crew of men reconditioning the facilities and equipment at the recreation area, 10 miles south of Petersburg on U. S. Highway One.

Lake Jordan is owned by the Quartermaster Association and is managed locally by the Quartermaster Chapter of the Association. The group recently spent a large sum of money repairing and replacing facilities at the lake.

The lake may be used by all officers and civilians employed at Camp Lee, and their families who are currently members of the Association, and all enlisted personnel both assigned and attending schools here.

COMMAND & GENERAL STAFF COLLEGE AND FT. LEAVENWORTH, KANS.

15 May 1948

Lt. Gen. Manton S. Eddy, Commandant, and Maj. Jacob L. Riley, Aide, recently visited Philadelphia, Pa., and Columbus, Ohio in connection with military activities.

Brig. Gen. S. D. Sturgis, Jr., Air Engineer, HQ, USAF, Washington, D. C., addressed the students of the School of Logistics, 11 May, on the logistical support of the Leyte Campaign.

Col. Robert N. Young, Commandant, The School of the Commander and General Staff; Col. Edgar T. Conley, Jr., Lt. Col. Harry L. Hillyard, and Lt. Col. Leslie R. Wilcox, instructors, have returned from Ft. Knox, Ky., where they attended to matters pertaining to instruction.

Col. George K. Withers, Assistant Commandant, The School of the Commander and General Staff, and Lt. Col. George P. Sampson and William R. Peers, instructors, recently visited the Ground General School Center, Ft. Riley, Kans., in connection with instructional matters.

Lt. Col. Wilbur Griffith, Instructor, School of Intelligence, and Maj. Leroy E. Wade, Instructor, School of Personnel, have returned from Ft. Knox, Ky., where they attended a course in cadre instruction at the UMTEU.

Maj. Carlyle Arey and Maj. Gordon Knight tied for 1st place in the golf tournament held this week-end with scores of 67. Lt. Col. Theodore Bilbo was 2d place winner with a score of 69, and Capt. Edward White and Lt. Col. Jeff Hollis tied for 3d with a score of 70.

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WIESBADEN, GERMANY

26 Apr. 1948

A conference of all Regimental and Squadron commanders in the 1st Constabulary Brigade was held at Brigade Headquarters on 22 April. A stag dinner party was given for the visitors on the eve of the conference by Brig. Gen. Arthur G. Trudeau, Brigade Commander.

The entire Brigade staff participated in the conference which primarily dealt with the field training program recently published for all 1st Brigade units.

KIMPO AFB, KOREA

22 Apr. 1948

A total of \$1,186.00 was donated by the Officers and Enlisted Personnel in the annual Red Cross Campaign. Maj. J. K. Hardy was chairman of the drive.

Miss Marjorie Ruth Warwick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Warwick of Mt. Clemens, Michigan was married on 7 April to Capt. Louis S. Wiegeler. The ceremony was performed in Seoul, Korea and was followed by a reception at the USAFIK Officers Club.

A welcoming tea was held at the Kimpo Officers Club 21 April in honor of Mrs. and Miss Moore, wife and daughter of Col. William O. Moore, Commanding Officer, Kimpo Air Force Base.

MARIANAS-BONIN COMMAND

10 May 1948

Enlisted men of Marbo command leaving for Officers' Candidate School, Ft. Riley, Kans., are: T/Sgt. Ray E. Hill, Jr.; S/Sgt. Joseph K. Kane, Jr.; and John H. Longtin; Sgt. Lonnie E. Edmondson; T/4's Melvyn E. Burt and William R. McCarthy, and Cpl. Wilson C. Lawson, Jr.

Maj. Kern Copeland, Sanitary Engineer, after three years service in the Pacific area, has departed for the United States.

Col. James G. Cooper, Jr., has arrived from the United States, and has been assigned to G-3 Section, replacing Col. Dana McBride, returned to the United States for reassignment.

Capt. Irene McIntyre, Chief Nurse, 22d Station Hospital, left 1 May for reassignment in the United States.

KYOTO, JAPAN

25 April 1948

Maj. Charles M. Prosser, Ordnance Officer, 1 Corps, and Mrs. Prosser have left for Yokohama to await further orders to the United States for reassignment.

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Caparol.

Field Artillery—Lt. Col. J. C. Dinamore,
Jr., Capt. J. R. Riddle.

Corps of Engineers—Lt. Col. A. Fleming,
2d Lt. P. R. Gressler, 2d Lt. A. T. Lindow.

Finance Department—Maj. Norris Shealy.
Warrant Officers (Jg)—Ross Sheibaier.

To PHILLYCOM, Manila
Medical Service Corps—1st Lt. J. E. Alfano.

Field Artillery—Lt. Col. Sol Bloodworth,
Capt. F. M. Frasier, Maj. T. G. Whitworth.

Corps of Engineers—Maj. Allen Jensen, Lt.
Col. J. S. Shapland, 1st Lt. J. E. Boles.

Signal Corps—2d Lt. T. W. Beachboard,
Jr., Capt. J. A. Beauregard, 1st Lt. Byard
Bell, 1st Lt. D. W. Phillips, 1st Lt. M. B.
Spangler, Jr., 1st Lt. G. M. Robben, Jr., Capt.
J. E. Slawson.

Infantry—Maj. P. V. Smith, 1st Lt. F. B.
Nole, Maj. K. W. Erickson, Maj. J. W. Page,
Maj. D. H. McGovern.

Army Nurse Corps—1st Lt. L. A. Whalen,
1st Lt. M. R. Brewer, 1st Lt. Genevieve Con-
nors, 1st Lt. F. H. Cozy, 1st Lt. E. G. Cron-
lund, 1st Lt. E. M. Davidson, Capt. V. H.
Echerd, 1st Lt. D. L. Estes, 1st Lt. L. M.
Hanks, 1st Lt. M. K. Happe, 1st Lt. M. A.
Holtman, 1st Lt. M. E. Hooper, 1st Lt. L.
A. Kalow, Capt. S. E. Keller, 1st Lt. J. E.
Kennedy, 1st Lt. G. P. Lane, 1st Lt. L. B.
Little, 1st Lt. M. E. Lohman, 1st Lt. E. Mc-
Clain, 1st Lt. H. F. McLinden, 1st Lt. G. E.
Martell, 1st Lt. D. I. Murphy, Capt. C. Parker,
Capt. L. F. Priddy, 1st Lt. C. M. Sullivan,
1st Lt. J. Sutherland, 1st Lt. D. L. Trogdon,
1st Lt. J. A. Wagner, 1st Lt. J. M. West,
1st Lt. H. N. Wise.

Quartermaster Corps—Capt. V. C. Wright.
Chief Warrant Officers—W. R. Grimme.
Ordnance Department—Maj. Joe M. Dietzel,
Capt. T. H. Ebbert, Maj. W. C. Rogers.

Transportation Corps—Maj. G. L. Foster,
Capt. A. H. Freundt, Lt. Col. C. A. Houltry,
Capt. T. H. Martinez, Capt. J. H. Washington.

To Ft. Shafter, T. H.
Medical Corps—Col. Dean M. Walker.

Field Artillery—Maj. R. L. Brooks, Maj.
Ralph Wright.

Adjutant General's Dept.—Lt. Col. G. R.
Bryant, 1st Lt. Allan Rodgers.

Transportation Corps—Maj. J. J. Kelly, 1st
Lt. J. L. Moseley, Capt. R. W. Shidler, 1st
Lt. J. B. Williamson.

Chief Warrant Officers—Earl B. Yancy.
Signal Corps—Capt. C. M. Hopkins.

Ordnance Dept.—1st Lt. W. L. Dean, Maj.
C. A. Low.

Women's Medical Service Corps—1st Lt. H.
L. Wood.

To EUCOM, Bremerhaven, Germany
Infantry—Maj. K. H. Barber, Maj. H. A.
Crosby, Maj. E. C. Dameron, Maj. E. D. Fitz-
gerald, Maj. F. S. Kelly, Maj. A. W. Mitchell,
Maj. D. G. Buck, Capt. W. W. Marriott, Lt.
Col. B. C. Chapin, Maj. W. E. Corbin, Maj.
McL. Hampton, Lt. Col. L. A. Jackson, Jr.,
Lt. Col. G. T. Laughlin, Maj. Ray M. Lee,
Lt. Col. W. H. Mikkelsen, Maj. F. E. Minor,
Maj. F. Petrusel, Maj. N. E. Saling, Maj. A. L.
Sargeant, Lt. Col. W. W. Sellers, Lt. Col.
C. P. Stone, Maj. H. R. Yeager, 2d Lt. J. E.
Culin, Capt. J. H. Carter, 1st Lt. L. A.
Kearney, 1st Lt. R. F. Madden, Capt. H. J.
Merritt, 1st Lt. R. F. Ruyffelaere, Capt. L. G.
Wilson, Capt. J. A. Banister, Jr., 1st Lt. D. T.
Butts, 1st Lt. P. M. Davis, Capt. E. W. Duren,
Capt. A. P. Ellis, Jr., Capt. L. C. Turner,
Capt. W. B. Tyler, Capt. J. H. Underwood,
1st Lt. N. L. Engard, Capt. R. M. King, Jr.,
1st Lt. A. W. Kirchner, Capt. G. P. Mazielle,
Capt. W. L. Olson, Capt. L. W. Sherrod, 1st
Lt. E. P. Simonds.

Cavalry—Lt. Col. R. L. Dickie, Lt. Col. M.
Wallach, Lt. Col. E. R. White, 2d Lt. E. F.
Astarita, 1st Lt. A. L. Bakewell, 2d Lt. G. M.
Daniel, 2d Lt. M. A. Johnstonbaugh, 2d Lt.
J. F. Long, 2d Lt. D. Whitaker, 2d Lt. D. M.
Wroe, Capt. A. F. Harter, Jr., 1st Lt. W. V.
Horvath, 1st Lt. J. M. Koller, Capt. Walter
Thompson, Capt. J. F. Marsden, Capt. T. J.
McDonald, Jr., Capt. M. W. Thomas, Capt.
H. H. Dyke, Jr., Maj. W. R. Pershall, Capt.
C. J. Anderson, Capt. A. M. Bloss, Capt. F.
W. Boles, Capt. H. C. Bowden, Jr., Capt. E.
Bray, Capt. W. P. Cassidy, Capt. T. J. Cooke,
Capt. L. S. Crawford, Capt. L. R. Daems,
Jr., Capt. C. C. Dennis, Capt. L. A. DeSpain,
Capt. C. D. Folsom, Capt. J. H. Harrison,
Capt. R. T. Houghton, Capt. J. L. Lerner,
Capt. A. B. Littleton, Capt. D. W. Neill, Capt.
K. A. Peters, Capt. C. J. Shaffer, Capt. R. M.
Thompson, Capt. Donald Tracy, Maj. D. H.
Covles, Maj. F. G. Mayfield, Lt. Col. R. Tal-
bot, III, Lt. Col. J. W. Swanson, 2d Lt.
J. J. Addison, 2d Lt. R. J. Baer, 2d Lt. H. J.
Bartley, 2d Lt. C. C. Bellick, Maj. L. E. Booth,
Jr., Maj. D. P. Boyer, Jr., Maj. D. S. Cason,
2d Lt. W. H. Clark, 2d Lt. J. V. Dunham,
2d Lt. J. B. Egger, 2d Lt. J. C. Faith, III,
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Society

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of Oklahoma; Lt. and Mrs. C. Holt, and
Lt. and Mrs. C. Dickinson.

Mrs. Edward Bodeau, wife of Lt. Col.
Edward Bodeau, Chief, Central Division,
Eighth Army Ordnance Section, enter-
tained at a tea on 3 May in the General

Dining Room of the New Grand Hotel,
Yokohama, Japan, in honor of Mrs. Olaf
P. Winningsstad, wife of Colonel Winn-
ingsstad, new Chief of Eighth Army
Ordnance Section.

Among the guests was Mrs. Robert
Eichelberger, wife of Lt. Gen. R. L.
Eichelberger, Commanding General,
Eighth Army.

Miss Katherine Kingman Weber,
daughter of Lt. Col. F. R. Weber,
USMA; and Mrs. Thomas Q. Donaldson,
IV, daughter of Col. J. W. Coffey, USMA,
each won three ribbons riding their own
horses, Reno Reed and Adobe, in the N. Y.
Military Academy Horse Show at Corn-
wall, N. Y., on 15-16 May, with the U. S.
Olympic Pentathlon Horse Show Team.

Miss Weber won third in the Pair of
Hacks riding with Cadet Robert Adler,
of NYMA, and second in the two-day
event teams of Three Hunters on both
days, while Mrs. Donaldson won the
Blue Ribbon and Trophy in Working
Hunters ridden by amateurs, 2d and 4th
in Working Hunters and Ladies' Hunters.

After a visit of several days, Maj. Gen.
Eugene W. Fales, USA-Ret., and Mrs.
Fales, who were house guests of Col.
Wilson C. von Kessler, USA-Ret., and
Mrs. von Kessler at Montelito, Santa
Barbara, Calif., returned by motor to
their home in Monterey.

Weddings and Engagements (Continued from Page 1012)

Rear Adm. and Mrs. Cameron McR. Wins-
low. The ceremony took place in Pepper
Pike Village, outside Cleveland. The
bride served in the Women's Army Corps
during the war and Mr. Winslow com-
manded a mine sweeper, serving as a
Lieutenant Commander in the Naval Re-
serve in both the Atlantic and the Pacific.
Among his brothers is Comdr. Cameron
McR. Winslow, USN-Ret., also of New-
port.

Mrs. Crawford L. Elder, of Chicago,
announces the engagement of her daugh-
ter, Barbara Loomis McCloud, to Lt.
Stephen Garrett Henry, Jr., son of Maj.
Gen. Stephen G. Henry, AUS-Ret., and
Mrs. Henry, of Baton Rouge, La.

Miss McCloud was graduated from
Chevy Chase Junior College in Maryland.
Lieutenant Henry was graduated from
McCallie School, Chattanooga, Tenn.,
and the USMA, Class of '46.

The wedding will take place in Lans-
hutt, Germany, 5 June.

Capt. George Whelan Anderson, Jr.,
USN, and Mrs. Mary Lee Lamar Sample
were married 15 May in the Navy
Chapel on Nebraska Avenue in Washing-
ton. Mrs. Anderson is the daughter of
Mrs. Charles Wilbur Lamar and the late
Mr. C. W. Lamar of Pensacola, Fla. Cap-
tain Anderson is the son of Mr. George
W. Anderson of Brooklyn, N. Y. Until
recently Captain Anderson has been on
duty in the Office of the Chief of Naval
Operations. He is now assigned as com-
manding officer of the USS Mindoro.

The marriage service was conducted
by the Rev. Joseph T. O'Callahan, S.J.,
in the presence of members of the im-
mediate families.

Both Captain and Mrs. Anderson are
widely known in service circles. Mrs.
Anderson's former husband was the late
Rear Adm. W. D. Sample, USN.

Miss Shirley M. Warner, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. John Western Warner of
Santa Barbara, Calif., was married to
Capt. Philip H. Dunbar, Jr., son of Mr.
and Mrs. Philip H. Dunbar of Shanghai,
China, on 1 May at St. Paul's Church,
Nanking. The United States Ambassador,
Dr. J. Leighton Stuart, officiated.

The bride, wearing white taffeta and
tulle and carrying a bouquet of white
roses and lilies of the valley, was given in
marriage by Mr. Wallace W. Stuart, U. S.
Embassy, and the maid of honor was
Miss Hilda M. Anderson, also of the
Embassy. Capt. Arthur B. White was the
best man.

Following the ceremony, a reception
was held at the Army Advisory Group
Officers' Club.

Mrs. Dunbar has been a vice-consul at
the U. S. Embassy in Nanking for over
two years. Captain Dunbar, who was
born in Shanghai, is stationed in Nan-

king with the Army Advisory Group.
Maj. Gen. David G. Barr, Chief of the
Army Advisory Group, and high ranking
American and Chinese officers were pres-
ent at the ceremony.

Miss Yolande Millereau, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Millereau of
Peiping, was married to S. Sgt. Roy L.
Phelps, son of Mrs. Martha Phelps of
Hardinsburg, Ky., at the Army Advisory
Group Chapel in Nanking, China, on 2
May. Father O'Hara of Nanking offici-
ated.

The bride wore white satin and carried
lilies. Following the ceremony, a recep-
tion was held.

The maid of honor was the bride's
sister, Miss Ann Millereau and the best
man was Sgt. Jack J. Reese.

Sgt. Irene L. Pattrell, WAC, daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Pattrell of
Norwich, Vt., was married to Sgt. Ken-
neth M. Romine, son of Mr. and Mrs.
A. R. Romine, Lancaster, Ohio, on 2 May
in the Army Advisory Group Chapel,
Nanking, China, Maj. (Chaplain) Ken-
neth W. Fristoe officiated.

The bride, attired in her uniform and
carrying a white Testament, was given
in marriage by M. Sgt. David J. Mc-
Allister and the maid of honor was T. Sgt.
Ida L. Manwarren. Cpl. John L. Van
Camp was the best man.

Following the ceremony, a reception
was held at the WAC hostel.

Sergeant Romine is a member of the
701st Military Police Service Battalion
and both he and Mrs. Romine are sta-
tioned in Nanking with the Army Ad-
visory Group.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles U. Slade, of Fair
Lawn, N. J., announce the engagement
of Mrs. Slade's daughter, Miss Bette Mae
Schocklin, to Cadet John Duncan Ham-
ilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Ham-
ilton of Little Falls, N. J. Miss Schocklin is
the daughter of the late Maj. John A.
Schocklin, USA.

She is a graduate of the Katherine
Gibbs School in New York and a member
of the Junior Woman's Club of Fair
Lawn.

Cadet Hamilton attended the Dwight
School in New York before entering
West Point, from where he will be gradu-
ated on 8 June.

The wedding will take place in Decem-
ber.

Miss Lois Tiffany Bannerman, daugh-
ter of Mr. and Mrs. Parry Elwood
Bannerman, was married recently to 1st
Lt. Harold John Henrich, USMC, son
of Mrs. Henrietta Henrich, of Hempstead,
L. I., and of Mr. John Henrich of New
York City. The bride, a harpist at 10,
played at the White House for the late
President Franklin D. Roosevelt and
Mrs. Roosevelt. She attended the Juilliard
School of Music. Mr. Henrich is study-
ing electrical engineering at Lehigh Uni-
versity. He served in the Solomons and
the Philippines as a bomber pilot.

The Post Chapel at Ft. Bliss, Texas,
lighted by white candles and decorated
with white flowers, was the setting for
the wedding of Miss Mary Sue Crowell,
daughter of Col. and Mrs. Evans Reed
Crowell, to Joseph McDonald Rector,
III, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rector, Jr.,
of El Paso, Texas, on 14 May. Chaplain
Mitchell W. Phillips officiated.

Mrs. Robert M. Montague, of Ft. Sil,
Okla., was her sister's matron of honor
and the bride's other attendant was her
cousin, Mrs. Ransom McBride, wife of
Lieutenant McBride, of Biggs AFB.

The bride, given in marriage by her
father, was clad in a wedding gown of
frost white satin, designed with shirred
bodice and long sleeves tapered over the
hands and with the skirt flowing into a
long train.

The bride wore a strand of pearls, gift
of the bridegroom, and her bouquet was
of lilies of the valley and gardenias with
white satin streamer.

Morris Wright of El Reno, Okla., was
best man and ushers were Dick Miller,
Jimmie Huff, Bob Zuendt and Dan
Mueller.

A reception in the Officers' Club fol-
lowed the ceremony.

Mr. Rector and his bride left for a
wedding trip after which they will be at
home in El Paso.

Born

ABERNATHY—Born at Fort Jackson, S. C., 11 May 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Wayne C. Abernathy, a daughter, Cherrie Ann.

ADAMS—Born at Tilton General Hospital, Fort Dix, N. J., 10 May 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. William W. Adams, a daughter, Vikkie Leigh.

ADAMS—Born at Fort Clayton General Hospital, C. Z., 7 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Samuel Adams, a son, Samuel Joseph.

AILEO—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 12 May 1948, to Maj. and Mrs. Edward J. Aileo, a daughter, Marjory Elizabeth.

ALLISON—Born at Station Medical Group, Alaska, 29 Apr. 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. John H. Allison, USAF, Ladd Air Force Base, a daughter, Chena Faye.

ALPHIN—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 9 May 1948, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Horace E. Alphin, a son, Arthur Brent.

ANDERSON—Born to 1st Lt. Robert I. Anderson and Mrs. Anderson, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 2 May 1948, a son, Jerry Louis.

ARTHUR—Born at Station Medical Group, Alaska, 1 May 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Earl G. Arthur, CE, Ladd Air Force Base, a daughter, Patricia Anne.

BARLOW—Born 18 Apr. 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. Lester E. Barlow at Beckley, W. Va., a daughter, Suzanne. Capt. Barlow is Infantry instructor with the West Virginia National Guard.

BATES—Born at Station Hospital, Camp Carson, Colo., 3 May 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Jesse Dee Bates, a son, Thomas Lynn.

BELL—Born at Station Hospital, Bolling Air Force Base, D. C., 5 May 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. John D. Bell, AF, a son.

BERGER—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 9 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. George J. Berger, a daughter.

BLANCO—Born at Station Hospital, Bolling Air Force Base, D. C., 9 May 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. Ira J. Blanco, USAF, a son.

BOWMAN—Born at the Station Hospital, Tyndall Air Force Base, Fla., 25 Apr. 1948, to Maj. and Mrs. Richard E. Bowman, a daughter, Susan Charlotte.

BRIER—Born at Station Hospital, Bolling Air Force Base, D. C., 28 Apr. 1948, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. William W. Brier, IV, USAF, a son.

BRIGHT—Born at Fort Clayton General Hospital, C. Z., 8 May 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. George A. Bright, Howard Field, a daughter, Linda Darline.

BRODY—Born at Station Hospital, Fort McPherson, Ga., 10 May 1948, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. James F. Brody, a daughter.

BROWER—Born at 382d Station Hospital, Ascom City, Korea, 3 May 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Charles F. Brower, a son, Robert Keith.

BUCHER—Born at Station Hospital, Bolling Air Force Base, D. C., 9 May 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. Oliver B. Bucher, Jr., USAF, a son, Oliver B., III.

BYNUM—Born at the Base Hospital, Eglin Air Force Base, Fla., 7 Feb. 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Arthur Bynum, a daughter, Patricia.

CALDWELL—Born at Dr. Louros Hospital, Athens, Greece, 27 Apr. 1948, to Maj. and Mrs. Ross R. Caldwell, a daughter, Jane Ann. Major Caldwell has been on duty with the United States Army Group in Greece for the past several months. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Caldwell of Oskaloosa, Iowa.

CAMPBELL—Born at Carlisle Hospital, Carlisle, Pa., 24 Apr. 1948, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Robert P. Campbell, their second child, a daughter, Mary Elizabeth. Col. Campbell is presently on duty at Loyola University School of Medicine and Mercy Hospital, in Chicago.

CAROTHERS—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 4 May 1948, to Lt. Col. Glenn E. Carothers, (Ret.), and Mrs. Carothers, a daughter, Marguerite Elizabeth.

CARVER—Born 6 May 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. Donald Ralph Carver, Oliver General Hospital, Augusta, Ga., a daughter, Beverly Diane.

CLIFFORD—Born at Station Hospital, Bolling Air Force Base, D. C., 9 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Frank J. Clifford, AF, a daughter.

COLLINS—Born at 98th General Hospital, Munich, Germany, recently, to Lt. Col. Frank Collins, Jr., USAF, and Mrs. Collins, a son, Patrick William. Col. Collins commands the 862d Engineer Aviation Battalion stationed at Landsberg, Germany.

CONESTRELL—Born at Fort Clayton General Hospital, C. Z., 2 May 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Augusto Conestrell, a son, Marco.

CORWIN—Born 5 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. F. W. Corwin, Eglin Air Force Base, Fla., a son.

GRANDALL—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 7 May 1948, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. George B. Grandall, a daughter, Shirley Lee.

Births • Marriages • Deaths

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CRAWFORD—Born at Eugene, Oreg., 8 May 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Crawford, a daughter, Mary Catherine; granddaughter of Col. and Mrs. Loyd D. Bunting, USA, Berlin, Germany, and of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Crawford, Hilo, Hawaii.

DALY—Born at Fort Jackson, S. C., 14 May 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. William J. Daly, a daughter, Maurrine.

DAVIDSON—Born at Tilton General Hospital, Fort Dix, N. J., 11 May 1948, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Frank Davidson, a daughter, Maria Vivian.

DAVIS—Born in the Lying In Hospital, New York City, 18 May 1948, to Dr. James Evans Davis, and Mrs. Davis, their third son, George Harrison; grandson of Secretary of the Army Kenneth C. Royall and Mrs. Royall.

DAUGHERTY—Born at Florence Nightingale Hospital, Dallas, Tex., 14 May 1948, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. J. H. Daugherty, their second child, a son, Gregory Neil.

De LAY—Born at Station Hospital, Camp Carson, Colo., 8 May 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Eugene Paul De Lay, a son, Eugene Paul, Jr.

DEMERS—Born at Station Hospital, Bolling Air Force Base, D. C., 6 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. William P. Demers, AF, a daughter.

DUCKWALL—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Sill, Okla., 15 May 1948, to Maj. and Mrs. Richard L. Duckwall, The Artillery Center, a son.

DYSART—Born at Fifth Station Hospital, Japan, 16 Mar. 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. Blain P. Dysart, USAF, Yokota Air Force Base, a daughter, Marilyn Jean.

EDWARDS—Born at Station Hospital, Camp Stoneman, Calif., 9 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. L. L. Edwards, a son, Jack Wayne.

EDWARDS—Born at Tilton General Hospital, Fort Dix, N. J., 12 May 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Dave W. Edwards, a son, Timothy Alan.

ELLIS—Born at Station Hospital, Bolling Air Force Base, D. C., 5 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. George W. Ellis, AF, a son.

FOSTER—Born at Station Hospital, Fort George G. Meade, Md., 9 May 1948, to Maj. and Mrs. Garrard Foster, USA, a son, William Garrard; grandson of Mrs. John Calhoun Parham, wife of Capt. Parham (MC) USN (Ret.) and the late Comdr. L. H. Williams, (MC) USN, and of Mrs. Victor S. Foster and the late Col. Foster, USA.

FRIEND—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 11 May 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. Robert J. Friend, a son, Robert Jones, Jr.

GAITLEY—Born at Station Hospital, Bolling Air Force Base, D. C., 5 May 1948, to Maj. and Mrs. Edward D. Gaitley, Jr., USAF, a daughter.

GILMORE—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 12 May 1948, to S. Sgt. Carver G. Gilmore, Las Cruces, N. Mex., and Mrs. Gilmore, a daughter.

GOWER—Born at Bryan, Tex., 9 May 1948, to Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Gower, a son, Daniel, Jr.; grandson of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Thompson of San Antonio and of Col. and Mrs. A. W. Gower, CAC.

GROVES—Born at Station Hospital, Lockbourne Air Force Base, Ohio, 8 May 1948, to Lt. and Mrs. Weldon K. Groves, twin sons, Leslie Madison and Wesley Michael.

GULLETT—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 4 May 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Ralph L. Gullett, a daughter, Linda Margaret.

HAGGARD—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 4 May 1948, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Mike L. Haggard, a son, Mike Logan.

HALE—Born at 98th General Hospital, Munich, Germany, 11 Apr. 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. T. A. Hale, TC, a son, Charles Henley.

HAMEL—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Benning, Ga., 4 May 1948, to Lt. and Mrs. Edward Hamel of Lawson Air Force Base, a son, Dennis J.

HAMILTON—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Ord, Calif., 9 May 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. Robert B. Hamilton, a son, Robert B., Jr.

HANNER—Born 8 May 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. James Hanner, Eglin Air Force Base, Fla., a son.

HANNIGAN—Born at De Paul Hospital, Norfolk, Va., 30 Apr. 1948, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. James P. Hannigan, their second son, Thomas Upson. Lt. Col. Hannigan is currently stationed at the Armed Forces Staff College, Norfolk.

HEAD—Born 5 May 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Harvey G. Head, Eglin Air Force Base, Fla., a son.

HENDERSON—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 6 May 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Frederick M. Henderson, a daughter, Elissa Lindsay.

HENRY—Born 8 May 1948, to S. Sgt. and

Mrs. Harry Allen Henry, Oliver General Hospital, Augusta, Ga., a son, James Bert.

HIGGINS—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 11 May 1948, to 2d Lt. and Mrs. John J. Higgins, a son.

HILDERBRANDT—Born at Fifth Station Hospital, Japan, 22 Feb. 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Oliver F. Hilderbrandt, USAF, Yokota Air Force Base, a daughter, Barbara Ruth.

HUBBERT—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 11 May 1948, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. William L. Hubbert, a son, James Michael.

JACOBSON—Born at Fifth Station Hospital, Japan, 19 Apr. 1948, to Maj. and Mrs. Alden O. Jacobson, USAF, Yokota Air Force Base, a son, William Allison.

JASPER—Born at Fort Jackson, S. C., 11 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. William H. Jasper, a son, Thomas William.

JEFFRIES—Born at Station Hospital, Bolling Air Force Base, D. C., 27 Apr. 1948, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Raymond Jeffries, AF, a daughter.

JOYNER—Born at Station Hospital, Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md., 16 May 1948, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Houston C. Joyner, Army Chemical Center, Md., a son, Christopher Clayton.

KANE—Born at Fort Jackson, S. C., 16 May 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Henry S. Kane, a son, Henry Stevens, Jr.

KELLEY—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 1 May 1948, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Milton H. Kelley, a daughter, Linda Kathryn.

KERR—Born at Station Hospital, Camp Stoneman, Calif., 10 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Ernest Kerr, a son, Michael Lee.

KETTERL—Born 4 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. J. L. Ketterl, Eglin Air Force Base, Fla., a son.

KETRICK—Born at U. S. Naval Hospital, Coco Solo, C. Z., 11 May 1948, to Maj. and Mrs. Donald P. Ketrick, DC, USA, France Field, C. Z., a daughter, Catherine Ann.

KINCAID—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 4 May 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Owings W. Kincaid, a daughter, Sarah Bonney.

KINGSLEY—Born at Harkness Pavilion in New York City, 18 May 1948, to Col. and Mrs. Joseph T. Kingsley, a daughter, Gail Gray. Colonel Kingsley is on duty with the Munitions Board.

KNAPP—Born at Camp Lejeune, N. C., 29 Apr. 1948, to Capt. Raymond E. Knapp, Jr., USMC, and Mrs. Knapp, a daughter; granddaughter of Col. and Mrs. Raymond E. Knapp and of Maj. Gen. Evans O. Ames, USMC, and Mrs. Ames.

KUCER—Born 6 May 1948, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. John Kucer, Eglin Air Force Base, Fla., a daughter.

KUROSHIEWICH—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 9 May 1948, to S. Sgt. Carl F. Kuroshewich, Alamogordo, N. Mex., and Mrs. Kuroshewich, a son.

KURTZ—Born at MacDonald House, Cleveland, Ohio, 29 Apr. 1948, to Maj. Robert G. Kurtz, USA-Ret. (USMA Jan. '43) and Mrs. Kurtz, a daughter, Martha Jane; granddaughter of the late Col. Edmund M. Barnum, Cav., and Mrs. Barnum and of Col. Guy O. Kurtz, FA, and Mrs. Kurtz; niece of Maj. A. T. Barnum, USMC; Mrs. Kurtz is the former Martha Maginness Barnum.

LAND—Born at Station Medical Group, Alaska, 28 Apr. 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Arvel R. Land, Ladd Air Force Base, a son, Herbert Craig.

LANHAM—Born at Tilton General Hospital, Fort Dix, N. J., 15 May 1948, to Maj. and Mrs. Ralph E. Lanham, a son, Jon Alan.

LINDVALL—Born at Fifth Station Hospital, Japan, 18 Mar. 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Arthur E. Lindvall, USAF, Yokota Air Force Base, a daughter, Linda Janice.

MATTE—Born in Paris, France, 10 May 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Robert Gilbert Matte, a son, Robert Gilbert, Jr.; grandson of Col. and Mrs. Paul J. Matte, stationed at Kansas City, Mo., and of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Ewald of Cincinnati, Ohio.

MATTHEWS—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Sill, Okla., 10 May 1948, to Maj. and Mrs. M. H. Matthews, Combined Arms Dept., a son.

McLAIN—Born at Station Hospital, Bolling Air Force Base, D. C., 1 May 1948, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Harry R. McLain, AF, a daughter.

MILLARD—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 11 May 1948, to Lt. and Mrs. Alfred J. Millard, a son, Michael Kimball.

MILLER—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Sill, Okla., 15 May 1948, to 1st Lt. W. R. Miller, Staff and Faculty, The Artillery Center, and Mrs. Miller, a son.

MILLER—Born at Tilton General Hospital, Fort Dix, N. J., 14 May 1948, to M. Sgt.

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and Mrs. Abraham L. Miller, a son, Barton Richard.

MILNER—Born at 387th Station Hospital, Stuttgart, Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 4 May 1948, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. James W. Milner, a son, James Wilbourne, Jr.

NAYLOR—Born at Aiea Hospital, Honolulu, T. H., recently, to Lt. Jesse Naylor, USN, and Mrs. Naylor.

NESTOR—Born at McCormack General Hospital, Pasadena, Calif., 20 Apr. 1948, to Maj. and Mrs. Vergil N. Nestor, USAF, a son, Ronald Owen.

NEWSOM—Born at Station Hospital, Camp Stoneman, Calif., 9 May 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Chaney C. Newsom, a daughter, Linda Lee.

NICHOLS—Born at Fort Clayton General Hospital, C. Z., 7 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Wayne E. Nichols, a son, Wayne Lee.

NORTON—Born at Newport, R. I., 8 May 1948, to Comdr. and Mrs. D. C. Norton, a son, Linzy Leon.

OAKLEY—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 5 May 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. William H. Oakley, a son, Larry Ronald.

OLIVER—Born at Station Hospital, Camp Stoneman, Calif., 9 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Dempsey Oliver, a son, Barry Russell.

O'MEARA—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 3 May 1948, to 1st Sgt. and Mrs. Paul J. O'Meara, a daughter, Patricia Joan.

OPELI—Born at Station Medical Group, Alaska, 25 Apr. 1948, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Charles M. Opele, USAF, Ladd Air Force Base, a daughter, Patricia Ann.

ORR—Born at 28th Station Hospital, Osaka, Japan, 4 May 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. John Eckels Orr, their second child, a son.

PACE—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 14 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. J. L. Pace, a daughter.

PAIZ—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 3 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Nicholas Paiz, a son, Daniel Denick.

PALMER—Born at Tilton General Hospital, Fort Dix, N. J., 9 May 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. John F. Palmer, a son, John Franklin, Jr.

PARISHER—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 2 May 1948, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Arch L. Parisher, a son, Darrell Wayne.

PETROFF—Born at Fort Jackson, S. C., 10 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. James C. Petroff, a son, Dennis James.

POWELL—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 7 May 1948, to Lt. Col. Beverly E. Powell, GSC, USA, and Mrs. Powell, a son, Harry Chariton; grandson of Col. and Mrs. Harry A. Bishop, MC, USA, and great-grandson of Mrs. Thomas D. Evans of Russellville, Ky.

PRATT—Born at Station Hospital, Lockbourne Air Force Base, Ohio, 10 May 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Charles E. Pratt, a daughter, Cynthia Elaine.

RAMOS—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 1 May 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Simon Ramos, a daughter, Elizabeth Ann.

RATCHFORD—Born at Fifth Station Hospital, Japan, 27 Apr. 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. William M. Ratchford, Yokota Air Force Base, a daughter, Patricia Ann.

REAMS—Born at Station Hospital, Fort McPherson, Ga., 10 May 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. William D. Reams, a daughter.

REEDER—Born at Fifth Station Hospital, Japan, 1 Apr. 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. Crawford B. Reeder, USAF, Yokota Air Force Base, a daughter, Gladys Joan.

REID—Born at Shawnee Municipal Hospital, Shawnee, Okla., 8 May 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. Robert Jesse Reid Jr., USAF, a son, Robert Jesse, III.

RINEARSON—Born at 387th Station Hospital, Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 17 Apr. 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Abram V. Rinearson, a son, Abram Vorhees, III.

ROBBINS—Born at U. S. Naval Hospital, Oakland, Calif., 8 May 1948, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Raymond R. Robbins, a daughter, Gerry Maureen.

RONEY—Born at 22d Station Hospital, Guam, 30 Apr. 1948, to 1st Lt. Paul A. Roney, USAF, and Mrs. Roney, a son, Donovan Dean.

SALINAS—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 9 May 1948, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Basilio Salinas, a son.

SAMPSON—Born at St. Luke's Hospital, Spokane, Wash., 6 May 1948, to Maj. and Mrs. Roy F. Sampson, a son, Richard Paul.

SCALES—Born at U. S. Naval Hospital, Coco Solo, C. Z., 3 May 1948, to Lieut. and Mrs. Harrell H. Scales, a daughter, Carol Jeanne.

SCOTT—Born at Station Medical Group, Alaska, 8 May 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. James (Please turn to Next Page)

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I. Scott, USAF, Ladd Air Force Base, a daughter, Susan Nichols.

SHOSS—Born 12 May 1948, to Maj. and Mrs. Morris L. Shoss, CAC, Wharton, Texas, a daughter, Maury Lynn.

SHUEY—Born at Station Hospital, Bolling Air Force Base, D. C., 2 May 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. Waldo G. Shuey, AF, a daughter.

SMELLEY—Born at Station Hospital, Camp Stoneman, Calif., 11 May 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. H. M. Smelley, a daughter, Deborah Maureen.

SMITH—Born 7 May 1948, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. C. W. Smith, Eglin Air Force Base, Fla., a son.

SMITH—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 3 May 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. John W. Smith, a son, Randy J.

SMITH—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 5 May 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Walter E. Smith, Jr., a son, Michael Andrew.

SOORS—Born at St. Luke's Hospital, Spokane, Wash., 15 Apr. 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. Lyle S. Soors, a daughter, Beth Ann.

STEELE—Born at Fort Clayton General Hospital, C. Z., 4 May 1948, to Chief Steward and Mrs. Robert Webster Steele, a son, Robert Webster, Jr.

STEVENSON—Born at Newport, R. I., 6 May 1948, to Comdr. and Mrs. William Alfred Stevenson, a daughter, Victoria.

STEWART—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 10 May 1948, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Richard R. Stewart, a son, Richard Reynolds, Jr.

STRAND—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 8 May 1948, to Maj. and Mrs. Joseph J. Strand, a daughter, Jane Victoria.

STRONG—Born at Fort Bragg, N. C., 18 Apr. 1948, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Cecil H. Strong, a son, Edward Moreland Campbell; grandson of Col. and Mrs. Alan L. Campbell of Regensburg, Germany.

STUBBELFIELD—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 10 May 1948, to S. Sgt. and Mrs. John Stubbel-field, a daughter.

SULLIVAN—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 6 May 1948, to Lt. and Mrs. James Sullivan, a son.

SUPONCIC—Born at 387th Station Hospital, Stuttgart-Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 5 May 1948, to WO (Jg) and Mrs. Joseph B. Suponic, a daughter, Joanne.

TANSLEY—Born at 387th Station Hospital, Stuttgart-Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 19 Apr. 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. Maynard S. Tansley, a son, Craig Stephen.

THOMAS—Born at U. S. Naval Hospital, Oakland, Calif., 3 May 1948, to SFC Nicholas Thomas, and Mrs. Thomas, a son, Bob.

THOMAS—Born at Station Hospital, Lockbourne Air Force Base, Ohio, 12 May 1948, to M. Sgt. and Mrs. Percy Thomas, a son, Laville Cottrell.

THOMPSON—Born at Fort Jackson, S. C., 16 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Cecil Thompson, twins, Jerry Lee and Terry Lee.

TODD—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 8 May 1948, to Lt. Col. Alfred G. Todd, USAF, and Mrs. Todd, a son, Joseph Bradley.

TOLERTON—Born at U. S. Naval Hospital, Coco Solo, C. Z., 7 May 1948, to Lt. and Mrs. Raymond C. Tolerton, a son, Rodney Lee.

TRAVSKY—Born at James M. Jackson Memorial Hospital, Miami, Fla., 10 May 1948, to Maj. and Mrs. Paul T. Travsky, a second child and first son, Boyd Winslow; grandson of Capt. and Mrs. C. H. Winslow of Manila, P. I.

TREADWAY—Born at Fifth Station Hospital, Japan, 23 Mar. 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. John E. Treadway, USAF, Yokota Air Force Base, a son, James Allen.

TUTTLE—Born at Newport, R. I., 10 May 1948, to Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. John Edward Tuttle, a daughter, Patricia Alleen.

UTT—Born at Tilton General Hospital, Fort Dix, N. J., 14 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. James P. Utt, a daughter, Linda Joy.

VERO—Born at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 15 May 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Andrew J. Vero, a daughter.

WALTERS—Born at Station Hospital, Bolling Air Force Base, D. C., 6 May 1948, to T. Sgt. and Mrs. Merton W. Walters, AF, a daughter.

WATSON—Born at Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, Calif., 18 Apr. 1948, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. Ralph H. Watson, a daughter, Joan Louise.

WEBB—Born at Station Hospital, Fort Sill, Okla., 6 May 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. Robert M. Webb, a son, Roert Klynion.

WENTZ—Born at 387th Station Hospital, Stuttgart-Bad Cannstatt, Germany, 28 Apr. 1948, to 1st Lt. and Mrs. Charles J. Wentz, a son, Charles James, Jr.

WESTPHAL—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 13 May 1948, to Lt. Col. and Mrs. George A. Westphal, a daughter, Mary Ann.

WHITE—Born at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 12 May 1948, to Maj. and Mrs. Ennis L. White, a daughter, Claudia.

WILSON—Born at U. S. Naval Hospital, Oakland, Calif., 8 May 1948, to HMC William Wilson, and Mrs. Wilson, a son, Robert Stanley.

WOYKE—Born at Newport, R. I., 4 May 1948, to Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Max E. Woyke, a daughter, Sandra Lee.

WRIGHT—Born at Brooke General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., 7 May 1948, to Capt. and Mrs. Lester Wright, a son.

Married

ANDERSON-SAMPLE—Married in the Naval Communications Annex Chapel, Washington, D. C., 15 May 1948, Mrs. Mary Lee Lamar Sample, to Capt. George Whelan Anderson, Jr.

BONYNGE-REDFIELD—Married in Bronxville, N. Y., 15 May 1948, Miss Jeanne Redfield, to Russell Bonyng, Jr., son of Lt. Col. Russell Bonyng, AUS-(Ret.), and Mrs. Bonyng.

BRERETON-IVES—Married in Bridgeport, Conn., 20 May 1948, Mrs. Agnes Warner Ives, to Capt. Wilkie Hill Brereton, USN.

CHERAULT-OFFUTT—Married in Washington, D. C., recently, Miss Gertrude Offutt,

to Comdr. James Conlan Cherault. Comdr. Cherault is assigned to the Puget Sound Naval Shipyard at Bremerton, Washington.

CROCKER-GARBY—Married in Marquette, Mich., 24 Apr. 1948, Miss Carol Grace Garby, to Lt. Gage Houston Crocker, son of Col. and Mrs. Harrison Gage Crocker of Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio.

DWORSKAK-NAIRN—Married in Karlsruhe, Germany, 1 May 1948, Miss Margaret Nairn, to 1st Lt. Ward Winston Dworskak, USA (USMA '45), son of Senator and Mrs. Henry C. Dworskak of Burleigh, Idaho.

FITCH-WELLMAN—Married in the Naval Communications Center, Washington, D. C., 16 May 1948, Miss Marcella Wellman, to Lt. Comdr. Harry L. Fitch, USN.

HOAGLAND-KENNEY—Married in Andrews Air Force Base Chapel, Md., 15 May 1948, Miss Julia Churchill Kenney, daughter of General and Mrs. George Churchill Kenney, to Lt. Edward Carl Hoagland, Jr.

HOWER-YOUNG—Married in Palestine, Tex., recently, Jo Young, to Maj. Haines Hower.

HUGHES-KNITTER—Married at the U. S. Naval Air Station Chapel, Patuxent River, Md., 15 May 1948, Miss Ruth Madeline Knitter, to Lt. (jg) Wilbur Robert Hughes, Jr., (DC), USNR.

INNIS-EUBANK—Married in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, South Orange, N. J., 15 May 1948, Miss Alice Purvis Eubank, daughter of Rear Adm. and Mrs. Gerald A. Eubank, to Mr. Harry Gilmore Innis.

LAWTON-FREELAND—Married at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Kansas City, Mo., 5 May 1948, Miss Peggy Freeland, to Lt. William Stevens Lawton, Jr., son of Brig. Gen. and Mrs. William Stevens Lawton, Fort Winfield Scott, Calif.

MILLESON-WEBSTER—Married in Ryster Memorial Presbyterian Church, Norfolk, Va., 15 May 1948, Miss Gertrude Hazel Webster, to Lt. (jg) William Weaver Milleson, USN.

NUNNALLY-HVIDSTON—Married at the 22d Hospital, Chapel, Marbo, Guam, 30 Apr. 1948, Lt. Ruth Hvidston, Hospital Dietitian, to CRE Charles Nunnally.

RECTOR-CROWELL—Married at the Post Chapel, Fort Bliss, Tex., 14 May 1948, Miss Mary Sue Crowell, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Evans Read Crowell, to Joseph McDonald Rector, III.

RHOADS-SUTHERLAND—Married in Christ Church, Alexandria, Va., 15 May 1948, Miss Joel Sutherland, to Ens. Harry Edward Rhoads, USN (USNA '46).

VICTOR-GREENE—Married at the base chapel, Mather Air Force Base, Calif., 1 May 1948, Miss Etta Greene of Sacramento to Capt. Carroll J. Victor.

WINSLOW-DOUGLAS—Married in Pepper Pike Village, Cleveland, Ohio, 13 May 1948, Miss Jean Douglas, to Arthur Winslow, son of the late Rear Admiral and Mrs. Cameron McR. Winslow.

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BAILEY—Died at U. S. Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, Va., 13 Apr. 1948, M. Sgt. Charles John Bailey, USMC.

CONNELLY—Died of self-inflicted gunshot wound near Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md., 13 May 1948, Comdr. James Hoban Connelly, (DC), USN-(Ret.).

CORCORAN—Died at Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md., 7 May 1948, William J. Corcoran, retired principal musician of the Marine Corps.

JOHNSON—Died 12 May 1948, Maj. Otho W. Johnson, USA-(Ret.), husband of Anna Orchard Johnson, Catonsville, Md. Interment in Baltimore National Cemetery.

LAVINDER—Killed in a plane crash at Northampton, Mass., 13 May 1948, 1st Lt. Wilfred W. Lavinder, Portsmouth, Ohio.

LEE—Died at the Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md., 14 May 1948, Capt. William Justice Lee, USNR-(Ret.).

LILLARD—Died at U. S. Naval Hospital, San Diego, Calif., 22 Apr. 1948, Lt. Comdr. Reese William Lillard, USN.

LITTAUER—Died at her home, Washington, D. C., 15 May 1948, Catherine M. Littauer, wife of Lt. Col. William Littauer, USA-(Ret.).

LONGQUICH—Killed in a plane crash at Northampton, Mass., 13 May 1948, Capt. Paul Longquich, Yonkers, N. Y.

MARTIN—Died in Sawtelle Veterans Hospital, Calif., 1 May 1948, Capt. Charles Henry Martin, USMC-(Ret.).

MATLACK—Died in Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 13 May 1948, Col. Jesse B. Matlack, (USMA '17), commanding officer of Fort Myer, Va., and the 3d Infantry Regiment.

McCONNEL—Died at his home in Boise, Idaho, 30 Apr. 1948, Maj. Gen. Merrin G. McConnell, adjutant general of Idaho.

MURPHY—Died at Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D. C., 18 May 1948, Capt. John J. Murphy, USA-(Ret.).

PACKARD—Died at William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Tex., 16 May 1948, Mrs. Audrey Z. Packard. Surviving are her husband, Col. Gooding Packard, USA-Ret., and her son, James Hammond.

PHELPS—Died at Long Beach Naval Hospital, Calif., 8 May 1948, Capt. Joseph Royal Phelps (MC) USN-(Ret.). Services at Sunnyside Memorial Park, Long Beach, 12 May.

ROBBINS—Died at Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md., 11 May 1948, Maj. Alfred P. Robbins, National Guardman, retired chief index of the Congressional Record, burial in Arlington National Cemetery, 14 May.

SMITH—Died at Soldiers' Home, Washington, D. C., 17 May 1948, S. Sgt. Harry Smith, USA-(Ret.).

SMITH—Died at Florida Straits off Key West, 25 Apr. 1948, AEC Roy Lee Smith, USN.

STEPHENS—Died at U. S. Naval Hospital, Pensacola, Fla., 19 Mar. 1948, CSQM Lewis Loftus Stephens, USN-(Ret.).

WERZ—Died at Norfolk Naval Shipyard, Portsmouth, Va., 3 May 1948, CQM Charles Frederick Werz, USN-(Ret.).

ZARESKY—Killed in a plane crash at Northampton, Mass., 13 May 1948, S. Sgt. Jack Zaresky, Jackson Heights, N. Y.

Obituaries

Col. Henry E. Chambers, jr., AUS-Ret.

Col. Henry Edward Chambers, jr., AUS-Ret., died at his home in Dallas, Texas, 11 March. He was 59 years old. Funeral services were held 13 March with Dr. Frank C. Brown officiating. Interment was in Hillcrest Memorial Park.

A native of New Orleans, La., Colonel Chambers entered the Army in 1917 in the First Officers Training Camp, Leon Springs, Texas. At the time of his retirement in 1945 he was Post Engineer at Amarillo Air Field. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Fanita McMillan Chambers; and two daughters, Mrs. William H. Russell, Jr., San Antonio, and Miss Adele Chambers, Dallas.

Midshipman George J. Eliopoulos

Funeral services were held in the USNA Chapel on 12 May, for the late Midshipman George James Eliopoulos, Class of 1949. The services were conducted by Chaplain Everett P. Wuebbens, Academy Chaplain, assisted by Rev. Joakim Papachristou of the Greek Orthodox Church of Baltimore.

Official mourners in the absence of the family were the Superintendent of the Academy, Rear Adm. James L. Holloway, jr., and the Commandant of Midshipmen, Capt. Frank T. Ward. The funeral escort consisted of the Midshipmen of the Fourth Battalion. All midshipmen of the second class and of the third battalion, of which Eliopoulos was a member, attended the services. Classes were suspended during the services.

Pallbearers were Midshipmen Stephen A. Dobbins, George B. Stone, James C. Hughes, Jr., Thomas J. Kilcline, John D. Lund, and Lee O. Rensberger, all members of the 2nd Class.

Interment was in Rawlins, Wisc. Midshipmen Kilcline and Dobbins were detailed as escort to accompany the body to Rawlins.

Midshipman Eliopoulos, who was the son of Mr. and Mrs. James G. Eliopoulos of Rawlins, Wyo., was killed in an accident on 10 May, when a javelin flung by a fellow athlete pierced his neck while he was working out at Thompson Stadium. Eliopoulos was a track athlete and varsity basketball player.

Capt. Joseph R. Phelps, USN-Ret.

Capt. Joseph Royal Phelps, (MC), USN-Ret., died at Long Beach Naval Hospital 8 May.

Born in Newport, R. I., in 1880, Captain Phelps received his MD at Harvard Medical School in 1903. He entered the Navy in July 1908. He served with the Marines in the first Haitian Insurrection and was called from service with the Atlantic Fleet during the First World War, to organize the Division of Preventative Medicine of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.

Captain Phelps retired from active duty in Feb. 1939, and was recalled to duty in 1943 to serve as Medical Officer of the Naval Training Unit at U.C.L.A. He retired to his home in Long Beach, Calif., for the second time in 1945.

He is survived by his wife, Helen Mansfield Phelps of Long Beach, Calif.; a son, Joseph Mansfield Phelps of San Gabriel, Calif.; and a sister, Mrs. Agnes Phelps Sadler of Long Beach.

Funeral services were held 12 May at Sunnyside Memorial Park, Long Beach, with Capt. Frank H. Lash, (Ch.C.), USN-Ret., officiating.

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Dental Corps—Capt. H. P. Mason. Ordnance Dept.—2d Lt. H. J. Rubenstein.

To Antilles, San Juan, P. R.

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Corps of Engineers—Capt. Jesse Thomas, Jr.

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1st Lt. R. D. Foster, MSC, to 2002d AFB, Stewart AFB, N. Y.
1st Lt. S. L. Elliott, MSC, to Brooke AMC, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.
CWO J. Schoonmaker, to 0003d ASU, Ft. Ord, Calif.

FROM ARMY LANGUAGE SCHOOL

The following officers are reld fr asgmt and dy w/Stu Det Army Language Sch, Monterey, Calif., and asgd as shown:
Capt. J. F. Sexton, QMC, CIC Ctr, Cp Holabird, Md.
Capt. A. S. Fessenden, Inf., to CIC Ctr, Cp Holabird, Md.

RETIRED

Col. F. L. Beadle, CE, upon own app.
Col. R. W. Camblin (Lt. Col.) USAF, upon own app, as Col.
Col. A. I. Ennis, USAF, upon own app.
Col. J. L. Strommer, USAF, stat age.
Col. G. M. Watkins (Maj.) Inf., as Col., p.d.
Lt. Col. A. H. Perwein, Inf., upon own app.

RESIGNED

1st Lt. R. C. Hollstein, Inf.
Lt. Col. W. M. Moody (Capt.) MC.
Capt. F. E. Cash, Jr. (1st Lt.) Cav.
Capt. G. R. Cody (1st Lt.) Inf.
Capt. S. W. Royer (1st Lt.) ANC.

CHANGE OF NAME

Lt. Col. Marian Shingler Clift ANC to Marian Shingler, Martin.
Maj. Madge Williams WAC to Madge Williams Ehrhgart.
1st Lt. Mabel J. Berg ANC (Ret.) to Mabel Berg McNeil.
Capt. Dolores M. Dorsch WAC to Dolores D. Montgomery.
Capt. Marjorie M. Gaffney WAC to Marjorie Mae Grossheusch.
Capt. Blanche M. Kiernan ANC to Blanche M. Kutter.
Capt. Carl J. Weinstein Inf to Carl J. Migdall.
Capt. Virginia A. Woodruff ANC to Virginia W. Warden.
2d Lt. Alfred M. Cohen Sig-Res to Alfred M. Carter.
2d Lt. Augustin Liguigan FA (PS) to Austin C. Liguigan.

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FINANCE

Financial Digest

Securities markets opened the week with prices at the highest levels for the year, but by mid-week daily sales of over 2.3 million shares had checked what at the outset had appeared to be a stock market boom of dangerous proportions. The heavy sales, most of them to take quick profits, checked the advance and caused some shares to drop as much as \$1.00, but the average decline was 59 cents.

Commodities exchanges were a bit erratic during the week with grains registering slight advances despite optimistic crop reports, while cotton, which last week was on the rise, declined from \$1.00 to \$1.80 the bale, although cotton and soy oils, which will be in heavy demand when the foreign relief program swings into high gear, made slight to good advances.

A major strike at the plants of the Chrysler Corporation, with workers at the plants of General Motors filing notice of intent to strike, caused some pessimism among investors and market operators, while newly opened negotiations between the United Mine Workers and the coal operators got off to a bad start with the mine workers serving notice they would not negotiate with operators of the southern fields. However, the threat of a coal strike is still some weeks away. Meanwhile, other industries see the strikes at the automobile plants as giving the steel companies an opportunity to channel their output to manufacturers who have been short of steel because of the demands of the automotive industry.

New securities offerings slackened somewhat from last week, but stood at close to \$100,000,000 with all issues moving rapidly and at premium prices of 3 to 5 per cent above par.

Treasury receipts continue strong with every indication that, barring unforeseen outlay for emergency defense measures, there will be a surplus of at least \$1 billion at the end of the fiscal year, available for retirement of public debt.

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Valvin R. Sinclair, Prof. of NavScience, Univ. of Missouri, Columbia, con. NROTC Unit; to Asst Gen. Insp., AtiFleet.
Fred W. Walton, BuShips; to Fleet Maintenance Off, Staff, Comdr, ServForce, Pac Fleet.
David C. White, Staff, Comdr, SubForce, PacFleet; to Comdr, SubSqn 5.
William D. Wright, jr., CO, USS Little Rock CL 92; to NavBase, Newport, R. I., td.
Joseph J. Carey, Prof. of NavScience, Ore-

MERCHANT MARINE

Merchant Marine

Secretary of the Army Royall this week sent congratulations to Adm. W. W. Smith, Chairman of the U. S. Maritime Commission, on the occasion of National Maritime Day as follows:

"I trust that the observance of National Maritime Day on 22 May will focus public attention upon the great work which our American Merchant Marine is doing in support of our postwar economy.

"During World War II our Merchant Marine delivered the tools of victory to our fighting forces, establishing a splendid record in the face of savage enemy resistance to its efforts.

"Today, at a time when it is so essential to maintain a strong and peaceful America, the Merchant Marine provides ocean transportation adequate to the position of world leadership which has developed upon our nation.

"On behalf of the Department of the Army, I extend hearty felicitations to the Merchant Marine and hope that it will continue to carry out its essential functions for trade—travel—and defense."

Vigorous action is needed now to insure a strong merchant fleet, adequate for National Security and for the nations commerce, the United States Chamber of Commerce declared this week in a special Maritime Day statement.

"Twice within recent memory the security of the United States has been gravely threatened by lack of an adequate merchant marine," the Chamber statement asserts. "We cannot again allow our merchant shipping to become a weak link in our National Security. As a leader in world affairs the United States must remain strong upon the seas."

The Chamber points out that the United States now possesses the nucleus of a strong, privately-owned and operated merchant marine. The war, also, the Chamber continues, has left us with a large fleet of vessels, the trained personnel, the shipbuilding facilities, and the know-how. We cannot afford to lose or waste these important resources.

"At present, our merchant marine lacks balance," the Chamber concludes.

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TngCen, Memphis.

Frank G. Reynolds, NavSch (GL) Newport,
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ach, AtiFleet, Key West, Fla.; to USS Trump-
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enridge AP 176; to USS Dehaven DD 727.

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SanDiego; to USS Hector AR7.

Harvey E. Reitz (MC), Univ. of Pa. Grad.
Sch. of Medicine, Phila.; to NavHosp, Oak-
land, Calif.

James D. Wright, NavSch (GL) Newport, R.
I.; to Air C&G Sch, Maxwell AirForceBase,
Montgomery, Ala.

Samuel R. Brown, jr., NavAirAdvTng
SubordinateCmd, NAS, Corpus Christi; to
Carrier Div 6.

Glenn W. Clegg (SC), NavSupDepot, Great
Lakes; to GenSupDepot NavSupCen, Guam.

Walter L. Curtis, NavSch (GL) Newport, R.
I.; to Sub-Gp 1, NYGp, AtiResFleet, Bayonne,
N. J.

Edwin J. Kroeger, NavSch (GL) Newport,
R. I.; to AttackSqn 19A.

Valdemar G. Lambert, NavSch (GL) New-
port, R. I.; to AttackCarrier AirGp 15.

Harry B. McInnis, DC, NavHosp, Corpus
Christi; to USS Kearsarge CV 33.

Delbert M. Minner, NavSch (GL) Newport,
R. I.; to NavOps.

Ward F. Powell, NavSch (GL) Newport, R.
I.; to FightingSqn 20-A.

Charles P. Putman, USS Grouper SS 214;
to NROTC Unit, Univ. of Minnesota, Min-
neapolis.

Eugene P. Rankin, FightingSqn 1B; to
USNA Annapolis.

Fred H. Schneider, jr., Joint Chiefs of Staff,
Wash., D. C.; to Staff, CInC, PacFleet.

Adolph Siegner, NavSch (GL) Newport, R.
I.; to AttackSqn 11-A.

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John Sinkankas, NavSch (GL) Newport, R. I.; to Amphibian Patrol Sqdn 4.
John R. Sweeney, NavOps; to Fighting Sqdn 4B.
Thomas S. White, USNavSch (GenLine) Newport, R. I.; to USS Antietam CV 36.
Roland L. Willett, NavSch (GL) Newport, R. I.; to FAS Sqdn 11.
Vernon Williams, NavSch (GL) Newport, R. I.; to USS Salisbury Sound AV 13.
Thomas L. Wogan, SubSch, NavSubBase, New London, Conn.; to Insp-Instr, NR, Albuquerque, N. M.

Lt. Commanders

Robert B. Buchan, NavSch (GL) Newport, R. I.; to NavAirTngCmd, NAS, Pensacola.
Emory R. Coffman, NavSch (GL) Newport, R. I.; to Fighting Sqdn 4B.
Robert J. Connell, NROTC Unit, Duke Univ., Durham, N. C.; to USS Noble APA 218.
Clifford E. Fanning, USS Pine Is. AV 12; to Fleet Air, W Coast, to pend furas.
James G. Hedrick, Attack Sqdn 5B; to NAS, Patuxent Riv, Md.
Charles L. Loring (SC), NavGun Factory, Wash. DC; to NavOpBase, Bermuda.
Noel W. McDaniel, NavSch (GL) Newport, R. I.; to NavSch, (Pre-Flight), NAS, Pensacola.

John F. Miller, Jr., USS Wisconsin BB 64; to NavOps.
William F. Mims (SC), NavSta, San Juan, PR; to NROTC Unit, Univ. of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, N. C.
Harry M. Pugh, NavSch (GL) Newport, R. I.; to NAS, Jacksonville.
Herbert L. Salyer, Jr., BuAer; to Air Force, PacFleet.

James F. Schremp, USS New Jersey, BB 62; to NavOps.
Edward H. Seller, Jr., NavAirTechTngCen, Memphis; to Utilty TranspSqn 2.
William C. Smith, NAS, Pensacola; to Air Force, AtiFleet, to pend furas.
Roy M. Voris, NavSch (GL) Newport, R. I.; to Attack Sqdn 17A.

Herbert C. Weart, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Air Force, AtiFleet.
Armand D. Whiteman, Off JAG; to 4th ND, Phila.
Miles S. Whitener, NavSch (GL) Newport, R. I.; to NavAirTechTngCmd, NavAirTechTngCen, Memphis, Tenn.

Maurice N. Wickendoll, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Attack Sqdn 3B.
George O. Wood, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to NavSch (Pre-Flight), NAS, Pensacola.
Heber J. Badger, Attack Sqdn 3A; to Nav AirTngBases, Pensacola.
Lester E. Bote, (HC), NavAdm and Disestab, Unit, Norfolk, Va; to NavHosp, Mare Isl, Calif.

Steven T. Cornellsen, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Fighting Sqdn 2E.
Halbert K. Evans, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Attack Sqdn 10A.
George A. Hayes, Cornell Univ, Ithaca, NY; to USS Siboney CVE 112.
Edward M. Higgins, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Insp-Instr, NR, Oswego, NY.

John S. Hill, Fighting Sqdn 14A; to NAS, Patuxent Riv, Md.
Arthur C. Jackson, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Insp-Instr, NR, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Maynard S. Johnson, (HS), 14th ND, Pearl Harbor, TH; to MarBks, Camp Lejeune, NC.
Joseph B. Kadel, Jr., Registered Publishing Off, NavBase, Phila; to NavOps.
Marion C. Kelly, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Insp-Instr, NR, Hartford, Conn.

Lincoln Marcy, BuPers; to USS Corsair SS 435.
Mildred A. E. Marcan, (NC), NavHosp, Quantico, Va; to NavHosp, Chelsea, Mass.
John H. Martin, (CL), Registered Publishing Off, Newport, R. I.; to NavOps.
Tyler R. Matthew, (SC), 12th ND, San Fran, td; to MarCorpsAirSta, Cherry Point, NC.

James L. May, Staff, CinC, PacFleet; to Staff, Comdr, AirForce, PacFleet.
Forest H. McClanan, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Air Force, AtiFleet.
Bernard McLaughlin, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Fleet Air, West Coast.
Arla Pembroke, (NC), NavHosp, Jacksonville; to Off NavOff Procurement, Wash, DC.

William W. Powell, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to USS Canisteo AO 99.
Eugene C. Smith, NavSch (GL) Newport, R. I.; to NavAirAdvTng Subordinate Cmd, NAS, Corpus Christi, Tex.
William A. Spalding, Jr., NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Insp-Instr, NR, Erie, Pa.
Stanley L. Stanczyk, NavAuxAirSta, Saufley Field, Pensacola; to Air Force, AtiFleet.

Harry W. Thurston, (DL), NR, home; to Off of NavOfficer Procurement, New Orleans.
William E. Underwood, OpDevForce, Ati Fleet; to USS Wittek, DD 848.
John Vanohlen, NavBase, Key West, Fla; to NavRecSta, Pearl Harbor, TH.
Allan L. Wallace, 3rd ND, NYCity, td; to MarCorps AirSta, Cherry Point, NC.
Harold E. Wilcox, (SCOM) NR, Registered Publishing Office, NavSta, Seattle, Wash; to NavOps.

Milton A. Zimmerman, USS Whetstone LSD 27; to Insp-Instr, NR, Ithaca, NY.
Charles A. Allsopp, USNavPostgradSch, Annapolis; to USS Rochester CA 124.
Louie W. Barnard, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Insp-Instr, NR, Quincy, Ill.

Francis W. Harrington, Long Beach Gp, PacResFleet, Long Beach, Calif; to USS AFDL 19.

Oscar J. Beavers, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Insp-Instr, NR, Columbia, SC.
Roy E. Burton, Jr., NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Insp-Instr, NR, Charlotte, NC.
Davis Cone, Sub-Gp 1, New London Gp, Ati ResFleet, SubBase, New London, Conn; to USS Conger SS 477.

Robert S. Denham, Jr., NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Insp-Instr, NR, Pensacola.
Norville D. Driscoll, (WA), NR, home; to BuAer.
Charles E. Dunston, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Insp-Instr, NR, Butte, Montana.

Albert E. Edwards, (SCS) NR, NavAdvBase Depot, NavConBn, NavSta, Port Hueneme, Calif; to 8th ND, New Orleans.
Robert W. Gillette, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to USS Kennebec AO 36.
Charles B. Gray, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Insp-Instr, NR, Cumberland, Md.
Chester G. Hall, Jr., Cruiser Div 12; to USS Charles H. Roan, DD 853.

Hugh A. Hanna, OpDevForce, AtiFleet; to NavProvGd, Dahlgren, Va.
James F. Hill, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Joint MilAdvisoryGp to the Repub. of the Philippines, Manila, P. I.
Henry E. Hollingsworth, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Insp-Instr, NR, Richmond, Va.

Gordon G. Hughes, (SC), BuSanda; to USS Des Moines CA 134.
Eugene D. Lamiman, USNavPostgradSch, Annapolis; to USS Providence, CL 82.
Gwilym B. Lewis, (MC), NavHosp, Oakland, Calif; to NavSta, Treasure Island, San Fran.
John S. McNulty, Fla. Gp, AtiResFleet, Nav Sta, Green Cove Springs, Fla; to BuShips.

Louis J. Russell, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Insp-Instr, NR, El Paso, Texas.
Edward T. Sullivan, Jr., NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Insp-Instr, NR, Portland, Me.
Charles P. Trumbull, NavSch, NavIntel, NavRecSta, Wash. DC; to NavOps.
Raymond V. Vanvolken, NavOpBase, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba; to NavAirTechTngCmd, NavAirTechTngCen, Memphis.

Paul J. Vidani, Jr., NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to Insp-Instr, NR, Green Bay, Wisc.
William H. Young, USNavPostgradSch, Annapolis; to USS Duluth CL 87.
Edwin M. Allen, (AL) NR, home; to NARTU, Norfolk, Va.
Ralph E. Cheney, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to BuAer.

Quentin Crommelin, USNA, Annapolis; to Fighting Sqdn 14 A.
Milton R. Dahl, Medium Patrol Sqdn 7; to NAS, Patuxent Riv, Md.
Hugh K. Galloway, (D) RN, home; to USS Algal AKA 54.
William I. Gullett, (DC), NavTngCen, Great Lakes, td; to NAS, Lakehurst, NJ.

Jonathan T. Hine, USS Taconic AGC 17; to NavAmphibBase, Little Creek, Va.
John O. Hopper, (A5L), NR, home; to NAS, Miami, Fla.
Gordon G. Hughes, (SC), BuSanda; to USS Des Moines CA 134.
Donald L. Jacka, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to NAS, Jacksonville, Fla.

Dallas E. Kellum, (SC), USS Oakland, CL 95; to NavSta, Treasure Island, San Francisco.
John F. Pear, NavSch (GL), Newport, R. I.; to USS Navasota, AO 108.
John W. Simcock, (SC), Univ. of Colo, Boulder; to ServSqdn 2.
Frank E. Smith, (A3), NR, home; to NAS, New Orleans, La.

Gordon W. Smith, Off Nav.I.G.; to Nav Forces, Eastern Ati and Med.
Charles A. VanDusen, Photographic Sqdn 1; to BuAer.
Harry S. Warren, USS Threadfin, SS 410; to 5th ND, Norfolk, Va.
Conrad G. Wellington, USNavPostgradSch, Annapolis; to Anti-Sub DevSqdn 1.

William D. Windley, BuAer; to NavAirMaterialCen, NavBase, Phila.

Air Force Orders

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Lt. Col. R. D. Smith, MC, Shaw AFB, Miss., to 3704th AFBU, AFTRC, Keesler AFB, Miss.
Maj. T. C. McGuire, USAF, Fairfield, Calif., to 1380th AFBU, ATC, Ft. Pepperell, Newfoundland.

Maj. L. Sherman, USAF, Monterey, Calif., to 4020th AFBU, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.
Maj. H. L. Milledge, USAF, Wash., D. C., to Sq. "A," 41st AFBU, AU, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
Maj. L. J. Johnson, USAF, Oslo, Norway, to 105th AFBU, ADC, Ft. Slocum, N. Y.

Maj. W. B. White, USAF, Maxwell AFB, Ala., to 3505th AFBU, AFTRC, Scott AFB, Ill.
Maj. V. M. Downer, MC, Maxwell AFB, Ala., to 3543d AFBU, AFTRC, Lackland AFB, Tex.
Maj. R. B. Evans, USAF, Brooks AFB, Tex., to Staff and Faculty, USMA, West Point, N. Y.

Maj. F. B. Perry, Ch. C., Salina, Kans., to 2532d AFBU, AFTRC, Randolph AFB, Tex.
Maj. A. W. Frediani, MC, Randolph AFB, Tex., to Hq. Caribbean Air Comd., Albrook AFB, Balboa, C. Z.
Maj. J. H. Buckner, USAF, Springfield, Mass., to Staff and Faculty, USMA, West Point, N. Y.

Maj. W. A. Donnelly, Jr., USAF, Wash., D. C., to 3705th AFBU, AFTRC, Lowry AFB, Colo.

Maj. L. B. Fisher, USAF, Cambridge, Mass., to Staff and Faculty, USMA, West Point, N. Y.

Maj. J. A. Kerig, Jr., USAF, Wash., D. C., to Staff and Faculty, USMA, West Point, N. Y.

Maj. C. Palfrey, Jr., USAF, Charlottesville, Va., to Staff and Faculty, USMA, West Point, N. Y.

Maj. B. F. Prann, USAF, New Haven, Conn., to Staff and Faculty, USMA, West Point, N. Y.

Capt. W. F. Alexander, DC, Holloman AFB, N. Mex., to 4135th AFBU, AMC, Hill AFB, Utah.

Capt. B. G. Atwell, Sig. C., Eglin AFB, Fla., to project PAC X0723.

Capt. H. R. McCarty, JAGD, Tinker AFB, Fla., to project PAC X0723.

Capt. C. W. Stoner, Ord. Dept., Dayton, Ohio, to project PAC X0723.

Capt. R. A. Seaman, USAF, Maxwell AFB, Ala., to OMA, Asst. Air Attache, London, Eng.

Capt. R. O. Carlin, MSC, Weaver AFB, S. Dak., to 509th Sta. Med. Gp, SAC, Walker AFB, N. Mex.

Capt. B. Janeczek, USAF, Wash., D. C., to 4th Ftr. Wg. SAC, Andrews AFB, D. C.

Capt. J. C. Manley, USAF, Maxwell AFB, Ala., to 477th AFBU, ADC, Birmingham Municipal Airport, Ala.

Capt. C. J. Thelen, Wash., D. C., to 400th AFBU, ADC, Hamilton AFB, San Rafael, Calif.

Capt. T. J. Harwell, AGD, Scott AFB, Ill., to project ETO X0601.

Capt. A. Artiglia, USAF, Wash., D. C., to Sq. "S," 41st AFBU, AU, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

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R. W. Strong, Jr., Randolph AFB, Tex.
The following USAF officers are reld fr Stu Det Industrial College of the Armed Forces, Ft. L. J. McNair, D. C., and asgd to Project PAC X0824:

Col. John D. Howe
Col. Solomon J. Zoller
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Lt. Col. C. M. Bryan
The following USAF officers are reld fr asgmt an dy w/Stu Det Army Language Sch, Monterey, Calif., and asgd as shown:

1st Lt. H. J. Anglum, Jr., 7th Bomb Wing Carswell AFB, Tex.
1st Lt. J. F. Arsenault, 28th Bomb Wing Weaver AFB, S. Dak.
1st Lt. D. Gottschalk, 28th Bomb Wing Weaver AFB, S. Dak.
1st Lt. A. G. McMahon, 92d Bomb Wing Spokane AFB, Wash.

1st Lt. R. N. Norman, 7th Bomb Wing Carswell AFB, Tex.
1st Lt. S. S. Sala, 92d Bomb Wing Spokane AFB, Wash.
1st Lt. Z. Vance, Jr., 301st Bomb Wing Smoky Hill AFB, Kans.

1st Lt. J. H. Wenner, 301st Bomb Wing Smoky Hill AFB, Kans.
2d Lt. L. E. Harriman, 93d Bomb Wing Castle AFB, Calif.

Marine Corps Orders

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Lt. Col. Melvin D. Henderson, MCS Quantico, to ServComd FMF Pac.
Lt. Col. William W. Buchanan, MCS Quantico, to 2d MarDiv.

Lt. Col. Thomas S. Ivey, MCS Quantico, to 2d MarDiv.
Lt. Col. Frederick P. Henderson, MCS Quantico, to 1st MarDiv.

Lt. Col. John C. Miller, Jr., MCS Quantico, to 1st MarDiv.
Lt. Col. Talbott F. Collins, MCS Quantico, to ServComd FMF Pac.

Lt. Col. Robert E. Cushman, Jr., MCS Quantico, to Off of Chief NavResearch Nav Dept.
Lt. Col. Merrill M. Day, MCS Quantico, to TTU ATC PacFlt.

Lt. Col. Jess P. Ferrill, Jr., Div of P&P HQMC Quantico, to stf MCS Quantico.
Lt. Col. Robert C. Walton, Off of Chief NavResearch NavDept, to AWS SrCr MCS Quantico.

Maj. Victor E. Wade, 1st Tank Bn, to temp d MCS Quantico on compl of which to 22d Marines (Rein) and ffa to AWS JrCr MCS Quantico.

Capt. George K. Acker, Hq TrOps MT&RC SDA, to Hq Dept of Pac.
Capt. Basil T. Idler, VMP-254, to Off of CNO NavDept.

Capt. Royce W. Watson, VMP-254, to Off of CNO NavDept.
Capt. William G. Johnson, HqSg 2d MA Wing, to avn d 2d MarDiv.

1st Lt. Robert E. Ingram, MB NB Charleston, S. C. and USNH ord home to await ret orders.

1st Lt. Thomas F. McGraw, Jr., MIT Boston MB NB Boston, to NavOrdDevUnit Johns Hopkins U Silver Spring, Md.
2d Lt. Paul W. Barcus, MIT Boston MB NB Boston, to Bu Ships NavDept.

1st Lt. Louis M. Patterson, MCRCDep San Diego, to temp d MCS Quantico on compl to MB NOB Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.
Effective 1 May 48 MB PSNSYD Bremerton, Wash. was redesignated MB NB Bremerton, Wash. with the following named officers attached:

Col. David A. Stafford
Lt. Col. John H. Cook, Jr.
Capt. Charles W. Byers
Capt. James W. Eldridge
Capt. William D. Porter
1st Lt. Harley E. Bledsoe
1st Lt. Gerald L. Pines
CWO Herbert L. Farmer
CWO Edwin F. Hassig
CWO Winford R. Livingston
WO Arthur L. Andrews
Lt. Col. James R. Anderson, to VMF-224.
(Relieved HqSg 1stMAWing.)
Lt. Col. Frank E. Gallagher, Jr., H&SBn 2dMarDiv, to 21stMarines.
Major Robert R. Ayres, Jr., to VMF-224.
(Detached HqSg MAG-12.)
Major Hugh J. Chapman, to 2dMarines.
(Prev ord to 2dMarDiv.)
Major Robert F. Conley, to VMF (N)-114.
(Detached HqSg MAG-14.)
Capt. William D. Armstrong, to HqSg MAG-12. (Detached VMF-224.)
Capt. Robert V. Burns, to MCAS Cherry Pt. (Prev ord to AirFMFlant.)
Capt. William M. Derby, Jr., H&SBn 2d MarDiv, to 21st Marines.
Capt. George M. Faser, to SMS MAG-15.
(Detached VMF-115.)
Capt. Chester H. Fritts, H&SBn 2dMarDiv, to 21st Marines.
Capt. Henry P. Huff, to HqSg AirFMFWes Pac. (Detached VMR-153.)

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Capt. Thomas C. Hurst, to USNH Oakland; on rolls MB NavSupCen Oakland. (Detached VMF-218.)

Capt. George W. Kaseman, on duty VMT-1. (Prev ord to MCAS Cherry Pt.)
Capt. Clarence B. Kyle, to MB NS Treas Isl., San Francisco. (Prev ord to Dept of Pacific.)

Capt. George Major, to HqSg MAG-15. (Prev ord to AirFMFPac.)

Capt. Phillip Rosenberg, to MB NB Los Angeles, NS Long Beach, Calif. (Prev ord to Dept of Pacific.)

Capt. Wilfrid F. Rylander, to HqSg MAG-33. (Detached VMF-223.)

Capt. William F. Watson, to HqSg 2d MA Wing. (Prev ord to AirFMFPac.)

Capt. William C. Wester, to MCRDep San Diego. (Prev ord to Dept of Pacific.)

1st Lt. James S. Ashman, to VMF-224. (Detached VMT-2.)

1st Lt. Alfred C. Palfrey, to VMF-224. (Detached VMT-2.)

1st Lt. William E. Bateman, to MCAS Cherry Pt. (Prev ord to AirFMFPac.)

WO Hollis W. Glass, to MCAS Cherry Pt. (Prev ord to AirFMFPac.)

1st Lt. Arthur R. Dykeman, to MCAS Cherry Pt. (Prev ord to AirFMFPac.)

1st Lt. John S. Bostwick, to VMF-223. (Detached VMR-152.)

1st Lt. John Browne, on duty VMF-513. (Prev ord to 1stMAWing.)

1st Lt. Richard A. Cooley, 3d Marines, to H&SBn FMFPac.

1st Lt. Ralph D. Coplan, to VMT-2. (Detached VMF-312.)

1st Lt. Charles H. Coppedge, to MarTAC S-1. (Detached MGCSig-5.)

1st Lt. William A. Davis, 17th Marines, to 1stEngrBn.

1st Lt. John J. Doherty, to VMR-153. (Relieved HqSg AirFMFPac.)

1st Lt. William W. Eldridge, Jr., to HqSg AirFMFPac. (Detached VMF-211.)

1st Lt. Reuben H. Hanson, to MB NSD Clearfield, Utah. (Prev ord to Dept of Pacific.)

1st Lt. Curtis D. Jernigan, to MGCSig-6. (Detached MGCSig-5.)

1st Lt. William H. MacCormack, to VMF-223. (Detached MarTACs-2.)

1st Lt. Kenneth W. Maust, H&SBn FMFPac, to 3d Marines.

1st Lt. Lavern J. Olmster, to VMR-352. (Prev ord to AirFMFPac.)

1st Lt. James Sharp, II, on duty VMF-214. (Prev ord to MarAirWest.)

1st Lt. Nicholas G. W. Thorne, H&SBn FMFPac, to 3d Marines.

2d Lt. Eugene R. Spencer, Dismissed from U.S. Marine Corps. (MB NS Treas Isl., San Francisco.)

2d Lt. Warren G. Tanzler, to 21st Marines. (Prev ord to 2dMarDiv.)

CWO James W. Dorsey, to 6th Marines. (Detached H&SBn FMFPac.)

CWO John McAdams, Temp appt CWO, USMC, term revert to perm enl status. (On duty SigBn MB MT&RC SDA.)

CWO William F. McMillan, to 1stTankBn. (Prev ord to 1stMarDiv.)

CWO Richmond W. Wilburn, 11th Marines, to H&SBn 1stMarDiv.

WO Ernest T. Bean, to 2d Marines. (Prev ord to 2dMarDiv.)

WO Lloyd R. Hendershot, to DofS Barstow, Calif. (Prev ord to Dept of Pac.)

Major William G. Johnson, appointed to grade of major U.S. Marine Corps. (Und Ords to 2dMarDiv.)

The following named officers were appointed to the grade of captain in the U. S. Marine Corps. (On duty at the station indicated):

John S. Canton, H&SBn 2dMarDiv.

Calvin C. Crum, SMS MAG-24.

Frank J. Hubka, VMF-115.

John P. Roden, MCAS Cherry Pt.

Wilfred L. Stone, SpecServBr PD HQMC (Und Ords to).

William J. Wagner, MarSigDet USS MT McKinley (AGC-7).

Myron E. Wilcox, Jr., MD AmerEmbassy Paris, France.

Edward B. Winston, VMR-252.

Capt. William T. Smith, Temp appointed captain U. S. Marine Corps. (On duty 1stProv ArtyBn.)

Capt. William A. Willett, Temp appointed captain U. S. Marine Corps. (On duty MB NATB Corps Christi.)

1st Lt. Cecil L. Champion, Jr., to VMR-152. (Prev ord to 1stMAWing.)

1st Lt. Oran L. Stephenson, Jr., to VMF-223. (Detached VMT-2.)

WO Charles C. Jensen, to MCAS Cherry Pt. (Prev ord to AirFMFPac.)

WO John B. Kelly, MB NOP Pocatello, Idaho, to MB NAS Seattle.

CWO Lorenzo I. Brandt, 4th Marines, to "on the job trng" MB C Lejeune.

WO Norman Saunders, PersDept HQMC and ord home to inactive status in Class I (d) FMCR.

CWO Curtis R. Goehring, 2d CombServGrp (med), to 1st MarDiv.

WO Mark W. Billing, 7th Marines, to MCS Quantico.

WO James L. Fountain, HqSg 1st MAWing, to Div Avn HQMC.

Capt. Frederick J. Widman, to MCSupDep Oahu TH; prev ord to MarGarForePac.

Capt. Frederick E. Hughes, VMF (N)-542, to NATC NAS Pensacola.

Capt. Zaphney O. Humphreys, HqSg MAG-12, to NATC NAS Pensacola.

1st Lt. Leo D. Burden, Jr., MCAS El Toro, to NATC NAS Pensacola.

1st Lt. Herman L. Mixson, MGCSig-1, to NATC NAS Pensacola.

1st Lt. Thomas E. Mulvihill, VMP-254, to NATC NAS Pensacola.

1st Lt. Roderick J. Munro, VMF-312, to NATC NAS Pensacola.

1st Lt. Charles N. Sims, Jr., VMT-2, to NATC NAS Pensacola.

1st Lt. Wendell M. Waskom, MGCSig-1, to NATC NAS Pensacola.

1st Lt. Myron P. Wleczorek, VMR-152, to NATC NAS Pensacola.

1st Lt. Emanuel R. Amann, VMF-223, to MD NavAir Missile Test Cent Point Mugu Port Hueneme Calif.

1st Lt. George J. Batson, Jr., MB NB New York Brooklyn, to 2d MarDiv.

1st Lt. Harold C. Fuson, MD USS RAND-ALL (APA-224), to 2d MarDiv.

1st Lt. John W. Murphy, TTU ATC Lant Fit, to MD USS RANDALL (APA-224).

1st Lt. Edward L. Constantine, TTU ATC LantFit, to TQM USS NEW KENT (APA-217).

1st Lt. James A. Hoey, Jr., USS NEW KENT (APA-217), to 2d MarDiv.

1st Lt. Robert G. Scurrah, TTU ATC Lant Fit, to TQM USS CAMBRIA (APA-36).

2d Lt. Thomas R. Burns, USS CAMBRIA (APA-36), to 2d MarDiv.

1st Lt. James G. Fox, VMF-211, to Air FMFPac.

1st Lt. Cecil B. LaFayette, VMF-322, to Air FMFPac.

1st Lt. John W. McNulty, Jr., MB NOB Midway Isl, to MCS Quantico.

1st Lt. Arthur H. Page, III, MCS Quantico, to USNH NNMC Bethesda, Md.; on disch fr USNH for orders.

WO Gilbert Schryver, MCDofS Barstow, Calif., to 1st MarDiv.

1st Lt. Robert J. Greenway, AdminDiv HQMC, to ElectMaintCrs NavSch NTC Great Lks, Ill.

1st Lt. Alan B. Lemlein, NATB Pensacola, Fla., NAATC NAS, Jacksonville, Fla.

1st Lt. Bill L. Parham, H&SBn 1st MarDiv, to Machine Records Sect HQMC.

1st Lt. John C. Schwab, H&SBn FMFPac, to 1st MarDiv.

1st Lt. Clyde Sloan, MCRDep San Diego, to temp d MCS Quantico on compl, to MCD of S Barstow, Calif.

1st Lt. Marvin R. Stout, VMR-352, to 1st MAWing.

1st Lt. Leo E. Walton, Jr., H&SBn 2d MarDiv, MB C Lejeune.

1st Lt. Daniel J. Young, HQMC, to FMFPac.

2d Lt. George C. McNaughton, MB NAD Crane, Ind., to 2d MarDiv.

CWO John T. Bates, MCS Quantico, to MCDofS Norfolk, Va.

CWO Walter E. Chrismas, ComOffSch, MCS Quantico, to 22d Marines (Rein).

WO Prentiss H. Baughman, 22d Marines (Rein), to 1st MarDiv.

WO Charlie P. Johnson, ComOffSch MCS Quantico, to MCDofS San Francisco.

WO Jesse C. Quattlebaum, Jr., MCDofS San Francisco, to ComOffSch MCS, Quantico.

CWO Vincent Kleponis, MCRDep San Diego, to MCDofS San Francisco.

CWO Benjamin S. Singleton, ComOffSch MCS Quantico, to MCSupDep C Pendleton.

WO Jackson L. Garner, MCSupDep C Pendleton, to SigBn MB MT&RC SDA.

WO Lynn E. Bath, NavOrdDevUnit Johns Hopkins U Silver Sp, Md., to Lone Star Lab Daingerfield, Tex.

WO Lawrence J. Damico, 2d Engr Bn, to H&SBn FMFPac.

WO Ralph P. Dempsey, H&SBn 2d MarDiv, to MCBB MCS Quantico.

WO Jack R. Nielsen, MCAS El Toro, to Air FMFPac.

Lt. Col. Ethridge C. Best, MCAS, Quantico, Va., to HqBn MCS, Quantico, Va.

Maj. David M. Danser, MCAS, Quantico, Va., to HqBn MCS, Quantico, Va.

Capt. William A. Lamont, MCAS, Quantico, Va., to HqBn MCS, Quantico, Va.

Lt. Col. John W. Burkhardt, to HqSg MAG-33. (Detached VMP-254.)

Lt. Col. Max C. Chapman, to H&SBn FMFPac. (Prev ord to FMFPac.)

Lt. Col. William C. Humbert, to HqSg MAG-33. (Detached VMP-323.)

Lt. Col. Nathan T. Post, Jr., to VMF-223. (Detached HqSg MAG-33.)

Maj. Robert J. Bear, to HqSg 2d MAWing. (Prev ord to Air FMFPac.)

Maj. Ernest R. Hemingway, to VMF-211. (Relieved HqSg AirFMFPac.)

1st Lt. Gaylord C. Greenfield, to VMF-211. (Relieved HqSg AirFMFPac.)

Maj. Thomas J. O'Connor, to VMF-224. (Detached SMS MAG-33.)

Maj. Arthur F. O'Keefe, to VMF-223. (Detached VMP-254.)

1st Lt. Patrick J. Dayson, to VMF-223. (Detached VMP-254.)

1st Lt. Robert H. Emswiler, to VMF-223. (Detached VMP-254.)

Maj. Arthur J. Rauehle, 21st Marines, to

2d Marines.

Maj. James R. Wallace, to HqSg MAG-12. (Detached VMF-224.)

Maj. Herbert D. Raymond, Jr., to VMF-323. (Detached VMF-223.)

1st Lt. Howard Ferguson, Jr., to VMF-323. (Detached VMF-223.)

Capt. Gordon A. Kroodsmas, to SMS MAG-33. (Detached VMF-223.)

Capt. James M. McGrew, to HqSg MAG-15. (Detached VMF-115.)

Capt. Charles R. Metzelaars, to VMF-224. (Detached VMF-452.)

1st Lt. Dall D. Fine, to VMF-224. (Detached VMF-452.)

Capt. Walter Moore, to 6th Marines. (Prev ord to 1st Mar Div.)

1st Lt. Jack H. Adam, to MCAS, Cherry Pt. (Detached VMF-223.)

1st Lt. Walter E. Carr, to HqSg AirFMFPac. (Detached VMF-211.)

1st Lt. Thomas B. Dewett, Jr., to HqSg Air FMFPac. (Detached VMF-211.)

1st Lt. Mario Caruso, to H&SBn FMFPac. (Prev ord to FMFPac.)

CWO Emerson R. Murrell, H&SBn FMFPac. (Prev ord to FMFPac.)

1st Lt. Kenneth C. Fiegner, to VMF-311. (Detached VMF-323.)

1st Lt. Clyde R. Jarrett, to VMF-311. (Detached VMF-223.)

1st Lt. Robert R. Kilgman, to VMF-311. (Detached VMF-223.)

1st Lt. George Kuprash, to VMF-311. (Detached VMF-223.)

1st Lt. Joseph F. Kirby, Jr., to MCAS El Toro. (Detached MarTACs-2.)

1st Lt. Arvene J. Kugler, to VMF-224. (Detached VMF-214.)

1st Lt. Robert W. Shirley, to VMF-224. (Detached VMF-214.)

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Col. Thomas G. Ennis, MAIRD MARTC NAS Glenview, Ill., to 1st MAWing.

Col. Richard P. Ross, Jr., NatlWarCol, Wash., to Div of P&P HQMC.

Col. Merlin F. Schneider, TTU ATC PacFit and ord home to assume final status on ret. list of officers USMC.

Lt. Col. Royce W. Cohn, stf MCS Quantico, to CO MAIRD MARTC NAS Dallas, Tex.

Lt. Col. Raymond B. Hurst, MarTACs-1, to stf CG FMFPac.

Lt. Col. Carl M. Longley, VMP-354, to stf Comdr AirForce LantFit.

Lt. Col. Benjamin B. Manchester, III, SMS MAG-14, to stf CG FMFPac.

Lt. Col. Charles W. McCoy, HQMC, to MCS Quantico.

Lt. Col. Robert H. Richard, HqSg 1st MA Wing, to stf CNAT NAS Pensacola.

Lt. Col. Arthur J. Stuart, MCS Quantico, to Div of P&P HQMC.

Lt. Col. William G. Traash, Off of DCNO (Air) NavDept., to LogCrs NavWarCol Newport, R. I.

Maj. Thomas A. Heaton, I-I Co. "B" 12th InfBn, MCR, Fresno, Calif., to MB NAS Corpus Christi.

Maj. Alton L. Hicks, PGS USNA Annapolis, to Div of P&P.

Lt. Col. John F. Dobbin, Disregard remarks on 5 May 48 which show on duty Div of P&P; this officer assigned to Div of Avn.

Lt. Col. William A. Millington, Disregard remarks on 5 May 48 which show on duty Div of P&P; this officer assigned to Div of Avn.

Lt. Col. Glen L. Todd, Disregard remarks on 5 May 48 which show on duty Div of P&P; this officer assigned to Div of Avn.

Maj. Emile P. Moses, Jr., stf Comdr Amph Grp-1 PacFit, to 2d MarDiv.

Capt. LeRon L. Patrow, Asst OinC DHRS Chicago, to stf Comdr AmphGrp-1 PacFit.

Capt. John A. Bowler, 5th ServDep, to DHRS Chicago.

Maj. Walter T. Warren, VMR-352, to 1st MAWing.

1st Lt. William H. Drewitz, VMR-352, to 1st MAWing.

Capt. Charles E. McPartlin, Jr., MB NSB New London, Conn., to I-I Co "B" 12th Inf Bn MCR Fresno, Calif.

Maj. Edward W. Allard, HqSg Air FMFPac, to MCAS Quantico and fa to AWS JrCr MCS Quantico.

Maj. Howard A. York, HqSg Air FMFPac, to MCAS Quantico and fa to AWS JrCr MCS Quantico.

Capt. John J. Tooley, VMF-115, to MCAS Quantico and fa to AWS JrCr MCS Quantico.

Capt. James S. Ammons, H&SBn 1st Mar Div, to MB MT&RC SDA.

Capt. Marion J. Griffin, 12th ServBn, to 1st MarDiv.

Capt. Milligan G. Hereford, MCRDep San Diego, to PersDept HQMC.

Letters to the Editor

USAF Selections

Editor, ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL:

In the first issue of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL eighty-five years ago, the JOURNAL pledged itself to direct its influence without bias "to the inculcation of sound military ideas." I am submitting this letter because this ideal has survived the test of time unchanged.

The Air Force has announced that it

will again convene general officer selection boards. I would like to address the following remarks to the unknown members of these new boards:

"As members of a selection board, you will be called upon to administer a law, Public Law 381. Air Force officers have a right to expect that you will each thoroughly familiarize yourself with the intention of P. L. 381, as well as with its technicalities. It is a legal truism that the letter of the law and the intention of the law are co-equal.

P. L. 381 allows much leeway for specious interpretation. Technically it seems possible to administer P. L. 381 so that a few will profit at the expense of many. But such an interpretation becomes impossible when the intention of P. L. 381 is given equal consideration.

"For a brief but decisive period, the futures of many Air Force officers will be held in trust by your board. There is no tangible way in which you are accountable to these officers for the opinions that will change their lives. For this reason, your moral responsibility as a board, and as individuals, becomes particularly grave. Primarily you are sworn servants of the United States Government. If a conflict arises between P. L. 381 and the dictates of an adopted policy, your allegiance must necessarily be to the intention of the law.

"Granted that flying is a young man's game, it strains credulity to the breaking point to be told, via the recommendations of a selection board, that junior officers are best qualified to perform administrative and executive duties. Such a premise disregards the first requisite for successful management, experience.

"Through every Air Force communication on the subject of promotions, the words 'Temporary Rank' run like a theme song. They are not only stressed on the down beat, they are in every beat. There is not a responsible officer who does not recognize that during the war the Air Force bestowed temporary rank without a coordinated or an equitable system. This lack of foresight has thrown Air Force promotion lists into tangled confusion. The Air Force not only appears reluctant to relinquish this confusion, it seems determined to perpetuate it.

"In contrast to the concentration of the Air Force on temporary rank, all sections of P. L. 381 abound in such phrases as 'seniority rights'; 'senior in permanent grade'; 'the applicable promotion list'; 'in the order of their precedence'. Section 515(c), which deals with temporary rank, takes the precaution to add 'on a fair and equitable basis.'

"There is no logical argument that justifies the speed with which the Air Force is rushing junior officers into advanced permanent grades. There is no argument that justifies the inequities which have been condoned in order to do this. It is a shortsighted policy whose results will freeze the experience level of the officers concerned, and will arrest the development of many of them. The efficiency of the Air Force will suffer.

"If I have seemed to dwell unduly on this matter it is because the matter holds great significance at the present time. Yours will be the last general officer selection boards to convene before June 30, 1948, on which date P. L. 381 withdraws the provisions that permit temporary general officers of the current war to be considered out of their normal turn on the applicable promotion list.

"When, as members of the selection boards, you swear or affirm that you will form your opinions without prejudice or partiality, as is required by section 507(a)(8), you will have thousands of invisible listeners. These listeners are anxious to retain their confidence in the leadership of the Air Force. The Air Force has already undermined the morale of too many of its officers by policies that withhold from them the security of permanent grade. In its endeavor to implement these untenable policies, the Air Force has also been negligent in its regard for the hitherto irreproachable reputations of some of its senior officers.

"You carry to your task the good wishes of all Air Force officers. You carry with you also the hope of most Air Force officers that, when your task is completed, Air Force personnel will say in a united voice 'WELL DONE.'

Air Force Officer.